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VICTORIA RECREATION CLUB.	A FTER the Policy has been three years in force the Policy holder will be entitled	Hongkong, 26th June, 1891. a2016	Hongkong, 24th April 1891. 21802		Firm found in possession of the same will be proceeded against as the law directs.	Sept. 8, Harris, Foodbow 4th Sept., Amoy 5th,
A QUATIC SPORTS.	to receive on application a FREE PAID UP POLICY for proportionate amount of the Sum	I/ A N. His C. R. A. W	FORD & CO.	the best material and workmanship procurable.	A. H. MANCEL ., Secretary.	and Swatow 7th, General.—Douglas La-
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FRIDAY, 11th SEPTEMBER, 1891.	DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.,			front for rapid changing of lenses. Folds into	BREWER	Mitsui Bussan Kaishia. Sept. 8, Sishan, British steamer, 845, E. F.
THE "ORCHESTRA MACAENSE"	STANDARD LIFE OFFICE, 1101-2a Hongkong.	GARDEN for early	SEEDS,	a very small space. Rack and pinion focussing Altogether as compact and convenient a camera	Has just received Johnson's How to find the time at sea-in-less	Stovell, Swatow 7th Sept., General.—Kin Tyr Loong.
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G. A. Caldwell, Esq. J. Sampson, Esq.	Hongkong Hotel,	50 TO NT NT TO		OF HONGKONG.	Banjos and Violing.	Esmeralda, British str., for Amoy. Sishan, British str., for Saigon.
REFEREE: R. K. Leigh, Esq.	7th September, 1891. [2088	TENNIS Ayre's "Champion"	BALLS.		Children's Pooles in smoot mainta	Bormida, Italian str., for Singapore. Telemachus, British str., for Singapore.
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Lieut. E. C. H. Grant. Official Timereeper:	NTOTICE is hereby given. That an EXTRA.	Hongkong, 21st August, 1891.	a22	under the style or firm of Russell and Com- PANY at No. 9, Praya Central, Victoria, Hong-	Large Office Scissors and Pocket Knives.	DEPARTURES. Sept. 7, PLOVER, British g-bt, for Amoy.
	HOLDERS will be held at the OFFICES of	MOUTRIE, RO		kong, and elsewhere, Merchant, having been adjudged Bankrupt under a Creditor's Petition	WALTER W RREWED	September 8, LY-EE-MOON, German steamer, for Canton.
J. Sampson, Esq. E.L.Collingwood, Esq.	Mesers. GIEB, LIVINGSTON & Co., No. 6, ICE- HOUSE LANE, TO-MORROW (THURSDAY),	(from J. BROADWOOD & SONS THE PIANO, ORGAN, AND MUSIC	s and Collard & Collabo). AL INSTRUMENT WAREHOUSE.	for adjudication in Bankruptoy filed in the Supreme Court of Hongkong on the 20th day of July 1891 a Public Sitting for the said Bonk	TZ ELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.	September 8, MONESE TON, British str., for Saigon.
N.B1. No Competitor will be allowed to take more than Two First Prizes during the two days.	the 10th day of SEPTEMBER, 1891, at 4 P.M., when the following Resolutions will be put to the Meeting:—	Under HONGK And at London, Shangha	CONG HOTEL.	rupt to pass his last examination and make	TITLE DAYSTINGS TO THE ANGE	Sept. 8, BORMIDA, Italian etc., for Bombay. Sept. 8, MACDUFF, British etc., for New York.
2. All Races, Diving, &c., will be decided by the Umpires.		PIA	11 O D	application for his order of Discharge will be held before the Honourable Sir James Russell,	HUNTING, by the Duke of Beaufort, K.G.	Sept. 8, Namoa, British str., for Swatow. Sept. 8, Taisang, British str., for Swatow.
3. Excellence in Diving consists in : Form, Distance, Entry and Recovery.	and he is hereby appointed Liquidator for the purposes of such winding up.	Specially made for this clim MONTHLY PAYM	ENTS OR HIRE	K.C.M.G., Chief Justice of the said Court, on SATURDAY, the 12th day of SEPTEMBER, 1891, at Floure of the class in the Forman and the class in the Format and the class in the class		Bept. 8, Tsinan, British str., for Shanghai. PASSENGERS.
4. No Second Prize will be given unless FOUR start.			REPAIRS. d Men, and Guaranteed Work.	at Eleven of the clock in the Forencon precisely. Dated the 5th day of September. 1891. BRUCE SHEPHERD.	Fayne-Galloway, Bart.	ARRIVED. Per Djemnah, str., from Shanghai, &c.—For
5. In the event of entries for any one race exceeding eight in number, Compe-	this Company and its Liquidator of the one part, and the Hongkong Borneo Com-	OLD PIANOS te		2087 Acting Registrar.	Yol. 1. Field and Cover. Vol. 2. Moor and Marsh.	Hongkong.—Mrs. Heemskerk, and 4 children, Mrs. Schultz, Messrs. Milner, Thorburn, l'Abbe
titors will be drawn to swim in hosts. Prises will be distributed by Mrs. STEWART.	pany. Limited, of the other part, he and the	devoting themselves entirely to the Music and Mu	and the only Firm of trained and practical people usical Justinuent Trade. [a1277]	CALDRECK, MACGREGOR & Co. ESTABLISHED 1864	CYCLING, by Viscount Bury, K.C.M.G. ATHLETICS and FOOTBALL, by Montague Shear-	Martinel, and Teurtreix, from Shanghai. From Yokohama, Mr. Glénat. From Kobe, Mr.
LOCKHART on Monday, the 14th instant, at 5.30 p.m.	to enter into an Agreement with such new		"THE THOMAS BANBURY SCHOOL	WINE AND SPIRIT MEK HANTS, ALE AND STOUT MERCHANTS,	Chrown he A. C. Shaland H. D. C. T. A.	Ghoston. For Saigon.—Messrs. Menn, Milon. Blanc, and Ferrare, from Shanghai. From
FIRST DAY,	Company (when incorporated) in the terms of the said draft, and to carry the same into	ZETLAND LODGE,	AND CHILDREN'S HOME."	Hongkong, 13, Queen's Read. Shanghat, 7, Foochow Read.	tleion. Driving by the Duke of Resulant	Yokohama.—Mr. Bonnet. For Singapore —Mr. King, Captain Stuart, and Lieut. Gordon Clake,
FRIDAY, 11th SEPTEMBER, 1891. 1.—3.30 P.H.—DIVING FOR OBJECTS. (Two	On the above Resolutions being passed the	No. 525.	WANTED, a LADY TEACHER for the above Institution. Must be a Pro-	LONDON. 101. Leadenhall Street.	Golf, by Horses C. Hutchinson, Right Hon. A. J. Balfour, M.P., and others.	from Yokohama. For Murseilles.—Mrs. Ester- brook, l'Abbé Laucca, Messrs. Seddon, and
	proceedings as to the winding up of the Com- pany and the powers conferred on the Liquidator	above LODGE will be held in the FERE-	education and have had experience in teaching.	AUCTION.	TENNIS. LAWN TENNIS. RACKETS, and FIVES, by J. M. and G. C. Heathcote.	Robbe, from Shanghai. Per Sishan, str., from Swatow.—155 Chinese. Per Haiphong, str., from Haiphong for Hong.
17). 2 lengths. (Handicap). (Two Prises.)	the provisions of Section CXLIX, of Ordinance	MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, TO-MORROW EVENING, the 10th instant, at 5 for 5.30 P.M. precisely. Visiting Brothren are cordially in-	Application by letter, enclosing testimonials,	DEDT To A Troppe One	RIDING, by Capt. Robert Weir. Fencing, Boxing, and Wrestling, by W. H.	kong.—Mr. and Mrs. Merky, and Mr. Gallay. For Marseilles.—Me srs. Lidin, Desnoyers, Dop-
First Prize presented by the Club. 3.—4 P.M.—CHAMPION RACE. 2 lengths. (Soratch.) (Two Prizes.) First Prize pre-	By Order of the Board of Directors, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,	vited. Hongkong, 8th September, 1891. 12093	THE PRESIDENT, The Thomas Hanbury School	THE Undersigned have received instructions	The following additional Volumes will be	feld, and Piel. Per Hangchow, str., from Sydney.—Capt.
sented by H. N. Mody, Esq. [44.15 P M.—RUNNING HEADER FROM MID-	Agents. Hongkong, 28th August, 1891 [2013]	"ARARAT" LODGE OF ROYAL AR	BOONE ROAD, SHANGHAL.	PUBLIC AUCTION,	-published-shortly; — BIG GAME SHOOTING; SKATING, CURLING,-	James Mackay. TO DEPART.
DLE SPRING BOARD. (Two Prizes.) First Prize presented by D. Gillies, Esq.	HONGKONG JOCKEY CLUB.	MARINERS	Shanghai, 6th August, 1891. [1921]	MONDAY, 21st, and on 22nd and 23rd September, 1891.	Tebogganing, and other Ice Sports; Mountaineering; Coursing and Fal- coney; Yachting.	titt: 120340) vibi 1 of Dingaparo-111. O. D.
5430 P.M.—BREAST STROKE RACE. 2 lengths. (Scratch.) (Two Prizes.) First	NOTICE.	ATTACHED TO LOTHEN LODGE OF	THE BEST BEEARFAST CLARET,	commencing each day at 2.30 P.M., at Messre A. G. GORDON & CO., LD.,	KELLY & WALSH, LD., HONGKONG,	Taylor. For Maraeilles—Mr. and Mrs. de Sande a Castro, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Alcobia, Mesers.
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75 P.MRACE ON BACK. 1 length.	DEFTEMBER, 60 4 P.M.	ING, the 10th inst., at 8.30 for 9 P.M. precisely. Hongkong, 4th September, 1891. 12005	* \$2.50 a 'doz.	Lathes, Drilling Machines, Planing and Shaping Machines, Johnstone's and Stevens		Bonnet. For Singapore—Capt. Stuart, Lieut. Gordon Clarke, and Mr. King.
(Scratch.) (Two Prizes.) First Prize presented by the Club. 8.—5.15 P.M.—BLINDFOLD RACE. 1 length.	BUSINESS. Notice of the Business to be transacted has		\$0.25 allowance for 1 dez. Empty Bottles returned.	Emery Wheel Machines, Punching and Shearing Machines, Plate Binding Rolls,	LAST WEEK OF GREAT SALE.	Per Verona, str., for Kobe—Mrs. Stevens and
(Scratch.) (Two Prizes.) First Prize pre-	Club. Any Member who has not received such notice is requested to communicate at once with	HONGKONG, No. 618, S.C.	Samples sent on application. G. GIRAULT	Screwing Machines with Taps and Dies, Charcoal and Coal Dust Machines, Turned Shefting Pullage Brookets and Respines	SPECIAL BARGAINS	child, Messrs. J. J. Russell, and T. W. Hind-marsh. For Yokohama—Mrs. Khaie Swerts,
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. D. GILLIES,

Secretary.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

NOTICE.

Hongkong, 2nd September, 1891.

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GINAL CERTIFICATE No. 618

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At Swatow, on Saturday, the 29th of August, 1891, he wife of James Fetherstonhaugh. Maritima Cantoms, of a son. At Mindalay (Burmah), on the 2nd inst., the wife of Hilton-Vickers, 33rd Madras Light Infantry, of At Shameen (Canton), on the 5th inst., the wife of CHARLES VON BOSK, of a ROD.

HONGKONG, SEPTEMBER 9TH, 1891,

THE progress which the Chinese have made in the construction of railways has been slow and tentative enough to allay the fears of the most cautious; so slow that people have become almost wearned of the subject importance through the vacillating and dilaway developments in China. When the status of the management has not been sa-"Rocket" was completed, it was employed tisfactory, for while the directors masqueradunder the severest reserve in work about the ed as real directors they, in fact, had no Colliery yard, and when it was represented power and were always at the mercy, not only to the Vicercy of Child that it would be an of the Vicercy, but of any official who chose the Athenian Palace.

locomotive should be kept quite secret! constructing even the seven-mile tramway on the standard railway gauge of 4 ft. 81 in., these pioneering engineers showed a good instinct for what was coming, for without relaying, that same original section of seven miles of Colliery tramway became part of the railway which has since been joined on to it. For this perspicacity the late Mr. BURNET and the present Engineer-in Chief, Mr. Kinder, have earned the gratitude

of China for all future time.

When several years afterwards the seven miles thus transformed into a railway was extended towards Tong-ku and Tienenterprise, a line leading through a poor country, "from nowhere to nowhere." as has often been said. No doubt the much discussed line to connect Tientsin with Peking would have marked a more notable advance, and the inauguration of that line, with Imperial sanction, the surveys stationed in it to perform the necessary daily and negotiation for land, the receiving of ceremonies tenders for the rails, and the conclusion of a loan with the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank paper published at Hanci in Annamese. It is but of what exact nature we are not informed. for the funds, all followed by ignominious collapse on the first sign of opposition, was savere disappointment to the partisans ogress in China. And, with all its parent drawbacks the 80 miles of rail actually constructed between Tieutsin and the Colliery was the natural expansion of the small section already existing, and in spite of the apparent poverty of the country the ITALIAN AND AMERICAN MARBLE traffic has been highly remunerative. No one, it is true, knows what becomes of the money, and it is supposed that no accounts are kept by which the net earnings, the working expenses, the outlay on capital account, and the interest on loans can be as- tries are more numerous than usual and the certained. Yet there must be always enough in the till to meet current demands, which seems about the extreme length to which Saturday. Chinese accountantship can reach. It is coming to be understood that the terminal hams on the 29th ult. by the Milks Mary. It of 1,950 tons burden, and it is said that her points are, after all, the important fealines may traverse the poorest countries. The Norma left Gram several days before the nature of the vessel's cargo is not known, but The 100-mile extension which is now being pushed through so vigorously and for the last gale, and was blown to the northward, which the rails are already on the way from reaching Oginohama about a week ago, fifty-five England is also a natural development of the existing system, which will serve the inby carrying their output to the regions north. 16th August. Labouring among the mountain. to find she moved nine inches. The following imprisonment was ordered. eastward as far as the terminus of the Great ons seas produced by the gale, the steamer night by a similar process she moved nine inches Wall, and supply the populous and really prosperous country through which it will run mercy of the sea. Had she not been a thorough many of the large stones her keel was resting six weeks imprisonment. Inspector Bremner with the bestand cheapest fuel they have ever | ly staunch vessel, her fate must have been scaled. on, which caused her to sink by the head a little. | prosecuted. execution. Complete Catalogues with concise had. This again, as has been seen in the older section, will stimulate the small factories any serious damage, and when the storm had could not be reached by the divers, it was con-assaulting P.C. Kallo on the 7th inst. Defendwhich abound in Northern China wherever cation or will be posted to any address. In these | fuel can be found, mainly, we fear, distilleries, but also earthenware and various

other industries. It is not, however, as a commercial enterprise that either the new or the old portion of the railway has obtained the favour of lending money at usurious rates. Unfortunated ed. Had it been possible to pump the tanks prosecutor, on the 8th inst. A police constable the Imperial Government, but purely as ly for him, he pressed his oreditors, all Mohamemeasures of national defence. The line from brutally nut him to death together with 38 Tientsin to Shan-hai-kwan will doubtless Orders from one person, of from \$5 to \$10, form an integral part of the great trunk line which will eventually connect the Northern with the Southern parts of the empire; and | soldiers. Orders from one person, over \$10 allowed an | both before and after this great Southern extension the railway will be practically a commercial and a paying line; its military uses being reserved for what may be hoped is a very remote and theoretical contingency. appeared in a veruscular newspaper, but we now school at first stoutly resisted, but, overpowered It is nevertheless important to note that military defence, and not the encouragement A high class fertilizer for pet plants and for of trade or industry, is the real basis on which railway making must proceed for some time to come. Russia is very largely responsible for the energy which China is showing, as China is on her side largely responsible for the trans-Siberian railway. It was the discussion, resulting almost in fixed determination on the part of China to run railways to Kirin in Manchuria, that caused the Russian advisers to affect alarm at the threatening attitude (!) of China, under cover of which they got the Imperial "fiat" for the immediate construction of the laid out. A fine pier has been built with pavili-Siberian railway. China fell away from her purpose, but Russia perseveres in hers; and now the imminent completion of the Siberian line has forced the Peking Government to do something in the same direction without any further delay. Hence the execution of the Shan-hai-kwan section of the great military road of the future. What further delays there may be in its extension north- be placed on its use by. Europeans, but their wards into Manchuria we know not, but it is well to bear in mind that the present con-struction forms part of a general scheme for siding there. The whole work of laying out the carrying railway communication to at least the heart of Manchuria. What really [2075 | hindered the rapid operation of the scheme national resources. An appropriation of two the present operations are proceeding. How

was the want of funds. The Government, Prince George of Greece :- It has hitherto been for reasons best known to itself, declared that supposed that the deed of prowess placed to the it would not borrow foreign money any more, with the attack on the Czarewitch at Otau had and would only build its railways with the its origin entirely in one of those false rumours million taels a year was made by the Board of there can no longer be any doubt that Prince Revenue for the express purpose of railway George himself is endeavouring to keep up the construction, and it is on this subsidy that illusion. The words put into his mouth by the reporter of an American newspaper suggestfar this virtuous resolution may be carried manufacturing habits of journalistic caterers Jardine, Matheson & Co., who have always then a house formerly occupied by a Customs boats also fouled the wharf and did some damage peror will have a stiff knee. is doubtful, but clearly LI HUNG-CHANG is at any time prepared to drive a coach-andand writers hardly care to write or readers four though the Imperial declaration, for Greece has been published in Athens, and that was placed at the disposal of the awnings of found in Vienna in the house of the man to read about Chinese Railways. The sub. fall last year both he and his son, the so. ject, however, has not lost any of its real called Lord Li, were dabbling in foreign loans with the Dicks, Toms, and Harrys of which prevented the would-be assessin from of the steamer which was to take the boys" reputation of being friendly to foreigners and of down with a crash at 9.30 yesterday morning. were reported as missing during the past month. tory procedure of the Government; though the world of finance. No Government has ing one of England's early skirmishes with the shake and drink. By the courtesy of the Se settlement is about a quarter of a mile from the and matting had been placed on the mat roof. the hope has been long deferred, its eventual ever shown such dexterity in turning round realization will be none the less an interest. on its polar axis as the Chinese and it is ing consum nation both for China and the always on the cards that a new foreign loan wrote home to his fond parents in Dablin a to wish the team "good luck" on the wharf, and of Scotland Mission has in the city mission pre-supports and completed the rain of the structure, number of servant girls in Vienna. The search. outer world. Nor has the progress actually may be announced, all imperial and official vivid description of the flerce fights in which will be replaced as soon as possible. made, when viewed in sufficient perspective, assurances to the contrary notwithstanding. been altogether despicable. It is scarcely a The new line to Shan-hai-kwan is, we ob- to his own individual prowess. The old was spent before getting the passengers fixed, his annual visitation to Hankow and Ichang, but night, and during yesterday a large number of Austria. decade since the far seeing engineers at the serve, under different management from the folks, matter of fact and pious people, though | When each man had finally seeing engineers at the serve, under different management from the folks, matter of fact and pious people, though | When each man had finally seeing engineers at the Tongshan Colliery began to construct, in old line; and is called the "Imperial" rail. quasi-secrecy, in their lessure time, and with way. It is a purely Government line, in such old materials as they could lay their name as well as in fact. The old line is a hands on, a locomotive, which they with Company's line, but a Company in which justifiable pride named the "Rocket of there are no shareholders, the urgent calls China," a most creditable piece of workman. repeatedly made on the patriotism of the ship which is in active use to this day. This mercantile Chinese having failed to draw

economical substitute for the mules that to assert himself. Matters will be much were then employed in drawing coal over clearer on the whole when there is no prethe tramway to the canal where it was tence of dual management, and judging by to see the sight. loaded into barges—a distance of 7 miles— what takes place in other countries we he reluctantly consented to the experiment, should suppose it is only a question of time on the condition that the existence of the when the old figment of a company shall be In absorbed into the new Imperial system.

The British gunboat Plover left here yester

The Governor General of Kansah and Shensi has ordered a complete map of Kansuh to be the Imperial Decree issued on the subject.

are buried there.

The Japanese steamer Takachiho Maru, now

and Hi ching are ordered to inspect the building. When-it-is-completed, sixty-Lawssare-to-be

the office of Mr. F. H. Schneider.

We learn (says the N. C. Daily News) that he actual loss to the Doutsche Bank, Berlin, by the unanthorised act of a clerk is 1,100,000 marks broker, put the bank's seal to a contract for i 5.500.000 roubles, the loss on which was 1,100,000 marks, which the bank has to meet, although the contract was sealed without any authority.

The Aquatic Sports of the Victoria Recrea tion Club take place on Friday and Saturda The programme of the first day's events will b found in our advertisement columns. The en meeting promises to be a very successful one. The Orchestra Macaense will play on Friday and the Baud of the A. & S. Highlanders on

Esmeralda, but was badly provided with canvas doubtless all details will soon be furnished, as and made a slow passage. She was caught in the surviving sailors have been sent to Kobe.

terrible ordeal she aprang a leak or sustained out, as a portion of the bottom on the port side and she steamed on her way.

in the New Territory, are numerous and power- she had been resting on, but when the tackles dans, with too much severity, and they rose and

that the police are incessantly active in their at-This man was imprisoned in the Kajibashi Jail aged to effect his escape and has not yet been ed. Then it was reported that a disturbance Daily News :re-arrested. The utmost endeavours are being would take place when the annual street procesmade to discover his whereabouts.

Siam sustains its reputation of going aboat The King has just now opened up the island of Koh-si-chang with the idea of making it a sort out their designs. of Oriental Brighton. The island, which was formerly simply a loading place for ships, has miles in length, has been out through the forest and a park some thirty or forty acres in extent ous and bandstand after the style of a fashionable English watering-place. These improvements have led to the discovery of fresh water springs on the island. Hitherto the water has had to be brought down from Bangkok a distance of fifty miles. The building of bungalows is now progressing rapidly. The place will be used as not there the houses and park will be at the disposal of Europeans resident in Bangkok. ourissity as to His Mujesty's private affairs in imes past has made him somewhat chary of assistance of European supervision.

The following is the full text of the Japan Mail's remarks on the self-asserted prowess of credit of Prince George of Greece in connection which, owing to their picturesque character, are difficult to correct. But if such was the case

he had been engaged, and appended a formid. them to the steamer.

launch; it is to serve as a pleasure boat, and went for the first time to the Kuming Lake on the 16th of last moon. The launch is very nicely fitted up and handsomely decorated. On each bow there is a carved dragon finely gilded.

The Japan Gazette says: -Mr. Kin Ka Chin formerly Korean Minister to Japan, has again drawn, with all the details, in accordance with been appointed to the same post, and arrived at Osaka on the 20th ult. He is expected in a few The Daily News says that the French man-of- Minister, is to leave the capital for Korea or war Inconstant was to leave Shanghai shortly the 9th Sept. It is reported that he is to be for Kelung with the monument to be erected to accompanied by Mr. Murakami, lately holding the memory of the French officers and sailors position in the Yokohama Harbour Construcwho died during the France-Chinese trouble and tion Office, and that he has been engaged by the deek of those we had left on the steamer and that Sir Thomas Wade was right in trying Sydney papers received yesterday afternoon:— Church of England Episcopal Bishop in Korea

Last night a Chinaman who appeared to lying in deep water, has been sold for 4,000 yen. suffering from serious injuries reported himself The price sounds large, says the Japan Mail, to the police and stated that he had been violently but it must be remembered that the ship's lassaulted. His face was profusely bloeding and tsin it was cavilled at as an unpromising boilers alone are worth probably five times the his wounds were of so serious a nature that his money, and there is no apparent reason why they removal to the Hospital was deemed necessary. Acting upon the information which he gave the police shortly afterwards effected the arrest The Hu-pao says:—By the Empress Downger's his alleged assailant in a house which was Decree, Fu Kuan and Li Hung-tse are appoint strongly suggestive of gambling operations. The ed to select a suitable spot for the erection of a man will be brought up and charged to-day memorial temple to Prince Chun. Han Yin kuni probably and remended until the injured man's condition permits his appearance in Court.

> The Japan Mail says :- " A hot spring has been discovered at Takasaki, in Joshu. Its waters, analysed by the experts of the Sanitary Bureau, We have received the first number of a new are pronounced to possess excellent properties, entitled Dai Nam Dong Van Nhat Bao, and is Certain capitalists of the locality have built-a well printed little four page sheet. The title large hotel called the San-ho-kan (Hell of the page with its design of dragons, phosnix, and Three Phosnixes), which is to be opened with much tortoise is very ornate, and will no doubt suit coremony on the 28th instant. Takasaki being the native taste thoroughly. It is published at only 63 miles from Tokyo, the attractions of a mineral spring may draw people thither, but it does not, so far as we know, offer any advantage as a summer residence."—Takasaki is about fifteen miles from Ikao, and though itself a rather (£55,000). The clark, in connivance with a unattractive town is conveniently situated for some nine miles distant.

gale on the 16th ult. a foreign ship was driven ashore in Kan-no-wa Bay, in the Aki district of Kochi Prefecture. The police, observing the vessel, but only one boat seems to have been able to make head against the wind and waves, into the complainant's house to collect money It was the craft of a fisherman named Okuro Kamazo, and it succeeded in rescuing two of the vessel's crew. The latter, however, being un he had been called a thief because he asked for able to speak any Japanese, could convey little information about the unfortunate ship. She The schooner Norma was towed into Yoko- appears to have been an American sailing vessel will be recollected (says the Mail) that Capt. orew consisted of 17 persons. The captain was Johnson was killed while trading in the South accompanied by his wife. Only two seem to

very near destruction during the typhoon of the the wall were tightened, and it was a satisfaction For this little exploit a fine of \$5 or ten days' his piece loaded. It does not appear, however, that during the land, although the tanks could not be pumped The Hu-pao relates the following:-The by the winches she went away by the stern the sum of \$2 or ten days' imprisonment. Mohamedans inhabiting the place called Tulufan, nicely. The forefoot still stuck to the stones

out she would have been off several days ago. The Kinngsi correspondent of the Shen-pao innecent Chinese, the followers of the Prophet, writes: - During the first part of the seventh in their fury, making no distinction. A revolt | moon anonymous and full immatory placards was imminent but was stopped by the Mohame- were posted about the streets of Fuchow calling dan chiefs, with the assistance of Imperial on the people to rise against the religious orders on a certain day. When the time came the officials placed at all the important points bodies the rumours recently circulated as to the arrest | was able to gather and everything passed | of a man in Chiba Prefecture who confessed him- off quietly. A few days after, a crowd of bad self the murderer of Mr. Large have not been characters surrounded the girls' school and confirme!. A very circumstantial statement began to throw stones. The servants of the read in the Jiji Shimpo that the whole account by superior numbers, they at last fled, and the rested on mere hearsay. Our contemporary says school premises were destroyed. The officials reached the scene in time to capture three tempts to trace the assassins, and that grave suspic- ringleaders, who were punished with the utmost ions now attach to a certain Kawakami Fuzzjiro. rigour of the law. No inmate of the school was injured. The 23rd ult. was named by the secret on suspicion of having been sugared in burglary band of rawdies for another rising, but the with violence, but on the 13th of July he man- anthorities were on the alert and nothing happen-

sion took place on the 28th ult. As soldiers

not likely that the ill-intentioned ones carried

were encamped on the various main streets it is

Admiral Fournier is hunting down the pirates who infest the coast of Tonkin. Décong, the been completely transformed. A fine road, three head pirate, was recently compelled to abandon | Cain's, Aldridge's, and Deans' houses, are burned. Can-ba, his stronghold. The Admiral having and Mr. Cookburn's looted. The Franciscan learned that he had taken up a position in two Sisters, and one of the Fathers, are badly hurt. villages in the Noi-kuit island, immediately 25th August, we read in the Avenir du Tonkin. Customs are armed. the island was surrounded by four gunboats. 26th eighty men of the militia and fifty from the gunboats were landed on the island, and understand that even this limits ion would not to which they replied by a deadly raking fire which killed and wounded a number of the pirates and compelled the remainder to abandon their entranchments and seek refuge in the place has been done by the natives without the leaving the island and were being maintained at the date the account of the affair was written. The success of this expedition will, it is stated. reduce to impotence the principal chiefs of the pirates, who are thus deprived of supplies and

THE INTERPORT CRICKET MATCH

DEPARTURE OF THE TITANS. The departure of the tight'uns who are to do battle for Hongkoug in the cricket field against

proud of their son's stalwart exploits, were and got his "top" fixed up, a work of no slight place.

also a little shocked to think of the heavy tale labour, an adjoirnment was made to the of human lives that he had taken. Parental raison. The first duty, and a pleasant one, was inst. —If there was any inclination among the suffered, and the wall of a house in Kiukiang port of rye, the grain market in Germany has duty prescribed that they, on their side, should to do the honours to the Hon. J. J. Keswick, the foreign representatives at Peklug to be per- Road fell down, but fortunately nobody was hurt. experienced a panie. The price of rye is now seek to make Heaven reconciled with thir representative of the firm whose generosity was suaded that the troubles were over, and that The house in which the two men were killed 16s higher than that of wheat. sanguinary offspring. Accordingly, they sent a so practically displayed in "carting" our boys to the Chinese Government had been sufficiently was No. 524, House Road. When it commenced good round sum of soveroigns to their family Shanghal. The "Honourable" received a right startled to ensure foreigners and their property to fall, there were four men in it; two had time chapel, and begged the priests to pray for the royal evation with "three times three." Another being fully protected in future, the news of the to get out, the other two were buried under the reduction in the duties on corn and other food peace of the departed Kaffirs. The unfortunate adjournment and another whiskey was the next riot at Ichang, following on the destardly and ruins, but would probably have been saved if the products. like Eusign Corrigan his Royal Highness Prince having been drunk, most fenthusiastically and volved, as it appears to have done, all the mis- ly having been sufficiently for the weight of the is quoted at 110 cents. George omitted the precaution of writing "not unanimously, helreplied to the tost land wished sion property, Catholic and Protestant. The rains was not upon beams under. There has been an enormous rise in the price for publication" in the corner of his epistle to on behalf eight and those present every and British Consulate; we learn, is case, but the which the mentwere.

Of wheat in Amsterdam, Vishna, and Barling cess to the team. He even did more adding to whole of the woodwork and fittings of the barometer, and in more adding to bearing operatives in the markets.

launch has made a trial trip on the Pearl River, had friends to see them off, if they allowed has with a body of skilled workmen, was carried courteously placed at our disposal:-Canton, and that thousands of people gathered Shangkai to lick "them, they would see none away by the mob, and the workmen were to to see the night."

Ist Sept., From native sources the Shanghai Mercury The warning gong of the steamer brought fur- outbreak: we want the material to form an learns that the Vicercy Li Hung-chang has pre- ther expressions to a close, but not before a few opinion as to whether it was a purely local 2nd Sept., sented the Empress Dowager with a steam. Hongkong friends had induced Dr. Liveson to sing disturbance, or a part of the wave of lawless. ed. Several gentle warnings from the officers Ichang, Le, is a man well known to and much

> Dumbleton, R.E., Major Hannay, E. M. Loring, R.E., Dr. Lowson, E. W. Maitland, F. Maitland, E. A. Ram; with Mr. W. Newton as scorer, and

> > POLICE COURT. 8th September.

Mr. E. C. H. Grant as umpire.

BEFORE MR. A. G. WISE.

A BINGULAR ASBAULT. Wong Hi Woo, doctor, summoned Sunder Singh, a native policeman, for an assault alleged to have been committed on the 5th inst. at the house of the complainant. The circumstances of the case were somewhat peculiar.

Complainant stated that on the evening of the lay in questionatabout nine o'clock the defendant name into his house. He heard him speak to his wife and say, "Find me a woman." His wife replied that it was a family house. Then the defendant came into his room, slapped his face, making excursions to the mountainous country and broke several of his teeth, fragments of which were produced in Court. Defendant also The Jiji Shimpo says that during the violent struck the wife. Complainant immediately reported the affair to the police. Mr. Wilkinson, for the defence, submitted that the case arose out of some monetary trancatastrophs, sent boats to the assistance of the sactions between the two men. He called two witnesses, who asserted that the defendant went

> and that he was not inside more than a few moments. When he came out he told them that Defendant was fined \$3 or ten days' imprison

A VIOLENT CUSTOMER. Ho Lau, a barber, charged Joseph D. Remedios, clerk, with assaulting him and a policetures in a railway, and that remunerative Pacific by the explosion of a dynamite cartridge, have survived out of the whole eighteen. The man on the 8th. From the statement of the complainant the defendant appeared to have acted in a very violent manner towards the tonsorial artist. He was satisfactorily shaved at 8 o'clock on the day in question, and upon The steamer Helene Rickmers has been success. payment being requested he threw the worthy fully floated off the Bund at Kobe. On Wednes- barber's razons away and then beat him with a day night, the 20th ult. (says the Hyogo News), stick. The complainant heat a hasty retreat, The Japan Mail Steamship Company's Suruga at high tide a heavy strain was put on the but the defendant followed, and when a constable men for once took decided action. So the terests of the Tongshan and Lin-si Collieries Maru must (says the Japan Mail) have been tackles of the Holono Richmers, the shores from arrived he also was made the object of attack.

> shipped so much water that her fires were more. The stone wall in front had been removed For unlawfully selling intoxicating liquors extinguished, and for six hours she lay at the pretty well, and the divers had raised a good | Shok Angan, 21, shopkeeper, was fined \$25 or

> U Ho, 23, married woman, was charged with abated something of its fury, her fires were redit fidently believed that she could be got off on ant is a hawker, and being told to move on not the 28th ult. During the afternoon the tide rose only refused but threw a tin can at the back rapidly, and when pressure was brought to bear of the officer, for which U He was muleted in

> Chan Cheung, 16, of Nam Hoi, actually fol, tut are perfectly ignorant of the principles were tightened up she moved off, and now lies described as a priest, was charged by Lenng of trade. A Shensi man-one of the Jews of at anchor in deep water. The vessel was to Ying, a barber, with stealing to lve pieces of China"—was making a great deal of profit in proceed on the 30th ult. to Nagasaki to be dock. clothing of the value of \$20, the property of the proved the arrest of the defendant, whose priestly services will not be at the disposal of the colony for six long weeks. A SERIOUS CHARGE.

Captain Manning/Lloyd Vance, chief officer, The Japan Mail says: -It would appear that of runners and soldiers. Consequently no crowd last. It is alleged that the prisoners assaulted the deceased in such a manner as to cause him to jump overboard and drown himself. The case was adjourned until to-day. Mr. Wotton represented the accused.

MORE DISTURBANCES ON THE YANGTSZE

THE RIOTS AT ICHANG. The following telegrams are from the N. C.

ICHANG, 2nd September. property burnt. No lives lost. Pachua in port. ICHANG, 3rd September.

There was no warning of any trouble. The American and Catholic Missions, and Messra-

ICHANG, 4th September. two armed launches and two armed customs | The Catholic and Protestant missions are minor casualties. The most serious incident junks. At four o'clock on the morning of the plundered and burnt. The English Consulate during the storm was the collapse of a house in [Imperial Chancellership. It showed that, so far and Customs are intact. The French Sisters a summer residence by the King, but when he is were led by guides by an unfrequented were saved with difficulty by the Chinese were drowned at 5 a.m. through two junks collid. William I. road to a point of vantage above the vil- authorities. The apparent cause of the riot was ing ontside the Hongkew Creek, the men being lages. Here they were observed and fired at, a stolen child being brought to the convent by knocked into the wat r through the shock. On possibility of the revelations on the subject made some unknown person.

all precautions were taken to prevent the pirates Catholic Mission, of which Bishop Christiaens all washed away, and a portion of the path Times, re-affirms the truth of the statements he Customs staff; then comes the temple, used as a telephone wires were broken, while others bethe Northern Settlement took place yesterday bungalow inhabited by the Rev. G. and Mrs. ciated Wharves between the Kowshing and New serious character, but that it is possible for him ed only another repetition of the sensation- afternoon. Through the generosity of Messrs. Cockburn, of the Church of Scotland Mission; chwang, damaging the wharf. Other cargo- to live to an old age. He predicts that the Em-In the Great Republic. But they assume a shown themselves the upholders and assistants buildings already mentioned. Behind these, beyond smashing a piece of the moulding and ten by the Prince to his father the King of of sport, in no matter what form, the Taisang about a quarter of a mile away, is a camp usually making three dents in one of the atgamer's plates, Six trunks of servants' clothes have been epistle "leaves no doubt"-we quote from number of friends and well-wishers, including still under the command of Brigadier-General the Titan was torn into ribbons while it was Schneider, who, with his wife, has been arrested London and China Express - that it was a the indefatigable and genial secretary, and Hon. Lo, they should have been of value in restrain. being taken in, through a sudden gust of wind. for a series of murders of servant girls in timely blow with a cane from Prince George J. J. Keswick as representing the management ing the mob, as that officer has always had the The whole roof of the Olympia Rink came Vienna. Sixteen girls of the name of Mand carrying out his design." Long years ago, dur- up, went on board the Taisang for a farewell having his men well in hand. The foreign In order to keep out the rain, a quantity of straw Kaffirs in South Africa, a young Irish gentle. cretary (Mr. A. K. Travers) a launch was walls of Ichang. The Taotai lives at Shahsi, This extra material, absorbing the water, became the assistance of bloodhounds, have been searchman, who held the proud position of ensign in provided to convey the combatants and friends about 70 miles further down the river. In ad- much increased in weight, and this, combined ing the woods for the victims of the man one of Her Majesty's regiments of infautry, abourd the steamer. There were several friends dition to the residences mentioned, the Church with the high wind, proved too much for the Schneider, who is alleged to have murdered a bably escaped. Bishop Boone, of the American able list of dusky warriors who had succumbed On arriving on board some quarter of an hour Episcopal Mission, left Shanghai last week on sank off the Associated Wharves on Tuesday murders has given rise to a painful sensation in

"lick wil" they had better not come back at all. await with anxiety details, of the origin of the a few verses of his original song "Marching," with | noss that has passed all up the Yangtsze valwhich, we understand, Shanghai is to be paralyz- lev. The Chentus, or Brigadier-General, at being disregarded, Mr Travers collected his liked by all the foreigners there, and he has his crowd of visitors on board the launch and then troops, who are well paid and looked after, well called for choors for our team. There were not in hand, so that it is difficult to understand how many of us, but brimful of enthusiasm-and it was that he could not control the mob unless whiskey and soda-we gave cheers that might it was because of the fact that we have prehave been heard far out at the Lycemeon. The | viously mentioned, that no Chinese official dares team responded with as hearty cheers for to order his troops to fire on a mob. His the "stay-at-homes." Then the anchor was troops too, it must be remembered are Hunan weighed, if that is the correct term, the Taisang men. and may have sympathised with the gave a farewell whistle, we whistled in return, mob. Meanwhile, we cannot but feel very and parted, the last thing seen from our launch anxious for the safety of our friends in being a general accumulation on the awaing Chungking: we do not want a storn proof a faint but well-known sound travelling over the to provide that the port should not be opened waves to us that sounded terribly like "Whiskey | until the residents had at least the refure if not protection, that the presence of a steamer i The team that have gone to Shanghai to red in the port provides. Our navel authorities present Hongkong are lapt. Duan (Captain), C. have learnt the truth of the doctrine that we M.P., at the suit of the Marquis of Salisbury, Barff, L. Barff, G. G. Boyle, R.A., Capt. have been preaching for years, that there should the costs in the libel case which led up to the

> Richards will see the force of the suggestion we made when Chungking was opened, that he should send a torpedo boat up the rapids. That the British flag should be shown on the river at that though Mr. Gladstone and Mr. John Mor-Changking, as at every other open port, we hold ley were enabled to forecast the result of the to be indispensable. If this new outbreak at O'Shea-Parnell divorce case nine days before Ichang strengthens the hands of our representation verdict was given, they opposed his retiretives at Peking, the destruction of foreign pro- mont from the leadership of the Irish party until perty there will not have been altogether in vain. kicked into it by the "Nonconformist cor Prompt measures were taken here as soon as science. the news of the riot arrived. Orders were sent leve the Swift. is to take the Aspic's place at | vent his house and furniture being sold. Kinkiang, until the Inconstant, which leaves this at noon to-day, arrives there from Shanghai. Thus every port will still have its man-of-

-PEKING.

of them shall go to Ichang.

FROM UUR CORRESPONDENT. 28th August,

A wave of heat has come over us just as we were counting the days when we should be able to resume warmer clothing. In fact the heat | terms of Lord Ashbourue's Irish Holdings Act, experienced since the 26th has far exceeded that of the worst days in July. Even the nights are not so cool as they ought to be.

Most of the Ministers are at the Hills, but some remain on guard in the city. They were not at all pleased at the collapse of the Chinese Government before they had even discharged their weapon. It appears that Li Hung-chang got the first news of the note that was coming. and he immediately telegraphed to the Tsung-li Yamen arging a complete settlement of all the Salisbury's leanings towards the Triple Alliance. Yangteze claims without haggling; and the Yacoon "came down" before Col. Cocker had got Some funny stories reach our temple recesses Exhibition at Chelsea, and drank with en-

from that hot-bed of small intrigue, Tientsin; thusiasm the the toast of "The Quaen." but no one knows which of all the lies is the true one. One good feature, however, is that the Consular body there is a solid body, but which of the heads of the dreibund leads the other two with the legs and arms is not quite clear. The Professors of the Tung-wen Kwan are scattered during the vacation. Dr. Martin, the Principal of the College, is expected back from us holiday in time to open the Autumn Sassion.

The note signed by all the Foreign Ministers and presented to the Tsung-li Yamen on August | Sonvention exists, though the entente cordiale is 25th acquiesces in the indemnities for outrages ripe should the action of the Triple Alliance on foreigners being arranged by the local make the Convention necessary. authorities on the Yangtsze; but requires the punishment of the rioters and the guarantees for the future to be settled between the foreign concessoratives and the Tsung li Yamen. Linisters are understood to have demanded the punishment of the ringleaders in the outrages at I fact that the Pope has declared that the Holy Wuhn, and a full expose of the whole matter in | Jost of Treves is the only genuine one. the Peking Gazette. They also taunt the Yaand Jules Gorbert, second officer of the Novia men with their alleged impotence in getting full Scotian vessel Zebine Gondry, were brought up reports of affairs with foreigners published in the hely relic at Argentenil claimed by the charged with causing the death of William Fell, the Gazette and ask them to appeal to the Em- Rom n Catholics of that place to be the Holy seaman on board that ship, on the 29th July peror, and to explain to him the gravity of the Coat is the coat worm by Jesus as a child. The arrangements for future good relations between missionaries and the Chinese officials, until complete satisfaction has been rendered for the past, and they charge the whole troubles on the

Nothing is said, so far as is known, about the pening of Hunau;

THE TYPHOON AT SHANGHAL The Daily News of the 3rd September says: urion the last few days there has been an unusual downpour of rain at Shanghai. ()n Tuesday the wind was E.N.E., but afterwards Riot to-day at noon. Missions and all foreign | went round to S.E. on Wednesday morning. The weather was threatening on Tuesday night.

in the absence of telegrams it was impossible to tell what would come next. Harly on Wednes- consequence of their having published falso reday it commenced to blow a stiff gate. Some of the men-of-war struck their topgallant masts. William's health. and other vessels lying in the stream got up steam, and many of the cargo-boats and smaller craft ran for shelter up the Socohow, Hongkew. and Yang-king-pang oreeks, where they remained arranged a surprise attack. On the night of the All are now on board the steamer Paolina. The till the weather moderated. Taken altogether the damage done during the blow was not be had with Count Munster, the German Amexcessive, though there were a number of bassader in Paris; in March last, upon the suban alleyway off Honan Road, resulting in the from having been precipitately decided on, the death of two Chinese, while two other natives step had been contemplated by the old Emperor. the French Concession, Bund, Broadway, Carter by the Paris correspondent of the Times, and and Bubbling Well Roads, numerous trees were declares that they were published without his The foreign residences are in a row along the blown down, while broken branches atrewed the consent. river bank. The two most prominent buildings in streets everywhere. The stone issing of the forest. The two villages were then burned, and the small foreign settlement belong to the Roman newly reclaimed garden foreshore was nearly is the resident head. Under him are about a seriously damaged, while a number of plants made after the interview with Count Munster, dozen foreign priests and nuns. Of these and trees in the garden were uprooted. Several German Ambassador in Paris, in reference to promises, one house, the furthest away from boats and sampans were upset and three of the German Emperor and Prince Bismarck. the city, is a fine new one. The other is at the them drifted up the Socchow Creek. The He, however, admits that he did not inform oity end, behind the China Merchants' godowns. Aster House flagstaff broke clean off at the Count Munster of his intention to publish the Next to the latter (proceeding away from the city) trestle-trees and fell on the roof of the Hotel, are some small foreign houses occupied by the smashing the tiles in its fall. A number of Custom House; then two houses built by Mr. came entangled, interfering considerably with Archibald Little; then the British Consulate, a the use of the telephone. The cargo-boats came interview with Sir Morell Mackenzie in refer-Chinese house more or less altered and improved; in for a good share of the damage, and several lence to the health of the Emperor William of then a house built by the late Captain Yankowsky, of them had their guards carried away or split. Germany. and occupied by the Rev. H. and Mrs. Sowerby, while one collided with the Old Dock wharf and of the American Episcopalisa Mission; then a filled, and another drifted stern on to the Asso. that the disease in the Emperor's cars is of a

The Shen-pao hears that an American electric his telling little speech that though the team | consulate, which had been sent up from Shang- as taken on board H.M.S. Caroline, have been 12 midnight ... 29.76 N. E. b. E. 3 to 5 ...29.44 9 a.m. (0 a.m.29.33..... 12 noon29.24 " So ith .29,26 S. b. W. 4 to 7 2 p.m. 29 32 S.W. b. W 4 to 6 3 p.m. 29.40 S.W. 4 pm.29.44 8.8.W.

LATE TELEGRAMS

The following telegrams are taken from MR. O'BRIEN'S BANKEUPTCY.

LONDON, 14th August The Court has annulled the order in bookruptcy made against Mr. William O'Brian. always be a man-of-war at every one of the recent proceedings in bankraptcy having been River ports; perhaps before long Admiral paid by Mr. O'Brien. MR. PARNELL AND HIS OPPONENTS.

LONDON, 17th August. Speaking at Drogbeda, Mr. Parnell stated

Mr. Parnell has declared that he refused overin Wednesday evening by wire to the Swift not larger made to him by Mr. John Dillon to divert loave Hankow. Yesterday morning she was the funds deposited in Paris on behalf of the ordered to make the best of hor way to Ichang, Irish evicted tenants. Mr. Dillon, he said, had and should she not be able to get up, the Aspic, not practised what he preached. While he which has been ordered up from Kinking to counselled tradesmen of Tipperary to withdraw Hankow, will go on to Ichang. Meanwhile, the from Mr. Smith-Burry's houses, he asked Mr. Archer, which was on her-way to Hankow to re- Parnell for £1,000 from the Paris funds to pre-

LONDON, 18th August Mr. John Morley has given a flat denial to the assertion made by Mr. Parnell at Drogheda to for the Aspic will remain in Hankow in the the effect that he opposed Mr. Parnell's retireplace of the Swift, until it is determined which ment from the leadership of the Irish party until kicked into it by the "Nonconformist conscience."

LONDON, 19th August Mr. Dillon declares that Mr. Parnell's charges against him, in reference to the funds for the victed tenants, are grotesque.

AN IRISH LANDLORD AND HIS TENANTA London, 15th August. Lord Lurgan has sold his astate in Armagh. Ireland, to his tenants, for £250,0 0, under the which enables tenants to purchase their holdings under certain conditions.

ENGLAND AND FRANCE. London, 13th August The Margais of Salisbury will not attend the banquet to be given by the Mayor of Portsmouth to Admiral Gervsis and the officers of the French fleet on the occasion of their approach. ing visit to England.

held in Paris to protest against the visit of the French fleet to England, on the ground of Lord LONDON, 18th August. Seventy French naval cadets, the forerunners of the French Squadro 1 under Admiral Gervais, re in London. To day they visited the Naval

A monster Franco-Russian meeting has been

The French and English admirals of the Mediterranean squadrons are hoboobbing at Villefranche, near Toulouse. The populace are en thusiastic over the circumstauce. A beatlead of tourists met the French fleet passing Folkestone, and cheer & them. FRANCE AND RUSSIA.

LONDON, 18th August. A Reuter's telegram from St. Petersburg states authoritatively that no Franco-Russian

RIVAL HOLY COATS. London, 15th August. The Reman Catholics of Argenteuil, near Versailles, intend to publicly exhibit a Holy Jost on the 16th instant, notwithstanding the

The Congregation of Rites has decided that Argentenil belonged to different periods. Nearly 2,000,000 pilgrims are expected to visit

Preves. The city is already crowded with pilgrims, and 35,000 pass the cathedral daily. LONDON, 19th August. The holy relies of Treves and Argenteuil have been examined under the miscroscope. The Holy Coat of Argenteuil is found to be composed of camels hair, while the Holy Coat of Treves is

made of linen. The Roman Catholics in Germany are protesting against the exhibition of the holy relic FRENCH JOURNALS INTERDICTED IN

STRASBURG. LONDON, 16th August. The sale of the French journals Figure and ports concerning the state of the Emperor

THE GERMAN EMPEROR AND PRINCE BISMARCK. LONDON, 15th August.

The Paris correspondent of the Times recently transmitted a remarkable conversation which ject of Prince-Bismarck's dismissal from the Count Munster has now repudiated the res-

M. de Blowitz, the Paris correspondent of the

THE HEALTH OF THE EMPEROR WILLIAM London, 17th August. The Paris Gaulois publishes an account of an According to that journal Sir Morell declares

Six hundred gendarmes and foresters, with ers made the discovery that Schneider murdered Three small cargo boats laden with piece goods | three girls in five days. The discovery of the

THE EUROPEAN GRAIN MARKETS.

15th Angust. The agitation is increasing in Germany for a

ship which is in active use to this day. This mercantile Chinese having failed to draw ensign never escaped the consequences of his order of the day. Dr. Lowson in a few felloitons brutal attack on Dr. Greig near Newchwang, bystanders had assisted the police. Inspector the Russian inhibition of the export of ryo was the real germinal cell of all future rail. any bond fide investors into the net. The gaseonade. For many a year afterwards mess words, which we refrain from reproducing, for must have effectually dispelled the illusion. Cameron and a few policemen pulled away the has caused a general rise in the wheat markets. tables used to ring with a ditty in dislect, the his sake as much as ours, proposed the health of Although no lives were lost at Ichang, debris as quickly as they could, but the natives English wheat has further advanced 6d. per refrain of which is still remembered, "the souls the Secretary, to whose efforts we owe the for which we are very thankful, the riot would not lend any assistance, and by the time quarter, and French has advanced its. 6d. Gerof the Kaffirs that Corrigan killed." Perhaps initiation of the team. Mr. Traver's health must have been a yery serious one, if it in the mon were reached, they were dead, apparent man is active. Red winter wheat in New York

The Council of Ministers in Barlin has decid- waters were drowned. ed not to reduce the corn duties of Germany at ried over the State railways. LONDON. 18th August. The refusal of the German Government to reduce the corn duties in Germany is in consequence of the parleyings which are taking place in reference to the formation of a Central Euronean Customs Union. LONDON, 19th August. Germany is buying large quantities of ryo in Russia prior, to the date of the Russian inhibition against the expert of rye, which is on the 26th instant. The price of cereals in Germany is falling. THE JEWS IN RUSSIA: Lonnon, 14th. August. The Czarina of Russia, while helding a review of troops in Moscow, gave orders that the Jewish soldiers forming part of the troops present should be withdrawn, he they were offensive to her sight. LONDON, 17th August. M. Stambouloff. Premier of Rulgaria, has declared that he is unable to step the immigration of Jews into Bulgaria, because they are the victims of Russia's barbarous policy of expatristing the Jews. RUSSIA AND TURKEY. LONDON, 19th August. The Turks are fortifying the approaches to Constantinople on the Russian side. BALLOON AND PARACHUTE FATALITIES. LONDON, 17th August. · A balloon accident has occurred at Macerata, in Italy, through the balleon having been carried out to sea. The man who made the Hollow. nscent was drowned. A female parachute performer has been killed. in Cincinnati. She attempted to descend from Manils -a balloon, but the parachute failed to open, and the wom in let ro her hold and fell a distance of 50 ft., her body being dreadfully mangled. A similar accident occurred in New York, where a parachutist fell into the water and was THE POLITICAL SCANDAL IN CANADA. LONDON, 14th August. The Canadian Government has accepted a motion brought forward in the Canadian House of Commons declaring that Cabinet Ministers in receiving gifts from contractors and others tro opposed to the common work In his cross examination before the Par- Belinno liamentary Committee of Privileges in Canada Sir Hector Louis Langevin, lato Minister of Public Works, admitted having asked Mr. Peters, a centractor, to pay his election expenses, in consideration of his baying obtained for Peters a contract for the Quebec harbour. works. Sir Hector also admitted having indirectly asked Mr. Thomas M.Greevy, M.P., to defray his election expenses at a time when he (Sir Hector) was in an impeduations position.
Theoress-examination of Sir Hector Laugevin, which has now closed, was damaging to his case, LONDON, 15th August. The Hon. P. Garneau, Commissioner of Public Works in the Government of the province of Quebec, has refused to give evidence before the committee of inquiry, respecting the alleged corrupt dealings in connection with the contract for the construction of the railway, to the Bay of Chalcur, The Canadian Secretary of State, the Hon-J. A. Chapleau, declined to produce certain decuments before the Parliamentary Committee on Public Accounts; These documents, it is alleged, show that the Hon. J. A. Chaplean is quite as guilty of corruption as Sir. Hagtor Langevin, the Minister for Public Works in the Dominion Cabinet. During the sitting of the committee of investigation yesterday a wrangla took place between the Hon. John G. Haggart, the Postmaster General, who is a member of the committee, and Mr. Mulloch, another member of the committee. The Postmaster General challenged Mr. Mulloch to fight. . . . The contractor for the Bay of Chaleur railway has admitted that he paid an agent of the Hon. Honore Mercier, Premier of Quebec, 115,000dol. in order to secure subsidies from the Government of the province in connection with railway London, 19th August. Mr. Thomas M'Greevy, M.P. in the Canadian Parliament, has been arrested for failing to attend at the bar of the Canadian House of Commons to explain his conduct in refusing to give evidence before the Parliamentary Committee. on Public Accounts in reference to the alleged corrupt practices of Government officials. THE AMERICAN PRESIDENCY. LOND IN, lath August. Mr. J. G. Blaine, the American Secretary of State, is improving in health. The Republican movement in favour of nominating Mr. Blaine for the Presidency of the United States is increasing THE CHILLAN CIVIL WAR. LONDON, 17th August. The Chilian rebel cruiser Emieral a has destroyed the guano factories at the Lobos London, 17th August. Details just received of the oupture of Pisagua, a coast town in Chili, by the insurgent troops, show that the struggle was most determined. Of 300 who were defending the town against the insurgent attack only 25 remained alive when the place fell, they having been decimated by shells. When the insurgents entered the town, they captured the Governor, whom toy carried to the sea and drowned, in revenge for his cruetty to their party. MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS. LONDON, 14th August. The Cunard Steamship Company has signed a contract for the building of a stamer of China Sugar 12,000 tons, the speed of which will by 22 knots. "Dalziel's Telographic Agency states that the British Government, is making agrangements for the settlement of 6,000 Scottish crofters. The pavel-reserves in Vancouver's Island-are Green Island Cement to form the nucleus of a naval defence force, in H. Brick & Coment... case of emergency, in the Pacific. The Porte thas despatched, 1,700 Turkish Hongkong & C. Gas. soldiers to Crete to preserve order among the Hongkong Electric. population, disturbances being threatened which H. H. L. Tramways. might had to the interference of the Greek | Hongkong Ice........ Floods are [reported in Lancushire. In some | H. Steam Laundry ... places the water rose to such a height as to put out the mill fires. At Darwen damage to the H. & W. Dock....... amount of £14,000 has been caused. It is officially aunounced that such additional space as is reasonable for exhibition purposes on behalf of the colonies will be provided in the Imperial Institute. A. five weeks strike of Clyde workmen, involving 12,000 mag, besides the actual strikers. has collapsed. The executive of the unions refused to belie the labourers. London, 15th August. In consequence of the recent terrible accident on H.M.S. Cordelia, the Admiralty is with rawing from us, in the navy the mark 1 live-inch guns, as well as the six inch guns, Owing to a blunder on the part of the architect, it has been found necessary to relay the foundation of the main building for the World's Fair at Chicago. The extra cost thus entailed is estimated to amount to a quarter of million dollars." A diamond backed moth is ravaging the north England. Clouds of moths obscured the lighthouse on Farne Island for a whole night. Nine persons have been injured by the fall of a scaffolding at the Traveller's (linb in Pall The statement that Turkey has formally recognised Prince Ferdinand as ruler of Bulgaria is officially denied. London, 17th August. King Alexander, of Servia, accompanied by his father, ex-King Milan, has arrived in Paris. They experienced a cordial reception. A terrible railway collision has occurred at

principally visitors to theifestival.

collision at Berne in Switzerland is 48.

troops to suppress to disturbances.

Tressury had 107,000,000 dollars available.

London, 18th August.

Patna (Old)

16th August.

inhabitants were drowned.

Forty persons were drowned by the disaster.

Six Tarkish brigands, who were lately cap-

the city churches. The medical authorities ob-

THE WEATHER.

METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

7TH SEPTEMBER, AT 4 P.M.

ground of injury to public health,

STATION.

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tured, have been publicly shot at Adrianople.

19th August.

London, 18th August.

(Issued at 11.20 s.m.) --- HONGRONG REGISTER. Previous | On date | On date day 4 p.m. at 10 a.m. | at 4 p.m. Barometer Direction of wind ... 0.12 1-Bigoweren reduced to 32 decrees Fahr, at sea level. 2—TEMPERATURE in the shade in degrees Fahrenbeit. 3-Huribite in percentage of saturation, the humidity of its saturated with monsture being 100,

- Direction of the Wind to two points. 5-FORCE OF THE WIND according to Beaufort Scale. O-STATE OF THE WEATHER: b. blue sky; c. detached clouds; d. drizzling rain; f. fog; g. gloomy; h. hail; l., lightning; a. overcast; p. passing showers; q. squally; r., rain; s. snow; t. thunder; v. visibility w. dew (wet). W. DOBERCK. "Hongkong Observatory, September 8th, 1891. MESSUS. FALCONER & Co.'S REGISTER, SEPT. STR Baromoter 9 A.M....29.75 Therm. 9 A.M. (Wet bulb)! Barometer | P.M.,...29.68 Therm. I P.M. (Wot bulb): Barometer 4 P.M., 29,67 Thorm. 4 P.M. (Wet bulb) 8 Thermom. 9 A. R. ... 83 Therm. Maximum - 8 Thermom. 1 P.M. ... 86 Therm. Minimum (over Thermom. 4 r.m ...88 ் night) ம 16th August. COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. Tuesday, Sth September. CLOSING QUOTATIONS. EXCHANGE. Lюмиом.— Telegraphic Transfer3,2 Bank Hills, at 30 days' sight 3/24 Bank Bills, at I months' sight 3 2; Crodits, at 4 months' sight 24 Documentary Bills, 4 months' sight 3 3 'PARIS.-Bank Bills, on demand4.02 Credits, at 4 months' sight4.10 On Germany.— On demand after sight On New York.— Credits, 60 days' sight78} On Bonbay.— JN CALCUTTA.—" N SHANGHAL-Bauk, at sight Soverrigns, Bank's Baving Rate......6.20 JOINT STOCK SHARES. PAID UP | QUOTATIONS. COMPANY. Banks— · \$125(173 p. et. pm. == Hengkong & S'hai. \$841.25, buyers £1.5 \$15, buyers China, Japan, &c... Do. New Issue ... £1.5 \$144 £1 £160, sellers Do., Founders New Oriental £10 £12_ Brown & Co., H. G., \$50 \$47, buyers Campbell, Moore&Co. \$10| \$10, nom. China Borneo \$55 \$104 \$100 | 3170 | \$500 par, buyers Chinese Loan '84 C.. Chutese Loan '86 E.. s. 250 | Tis. 2771 | Cruickshank & Co.... \$50 | \$40, nom. Dairy Farm Co. Fenwick & Co., Geo., \$25 | \$12. buvers \$50 | \$10, sellers \$21.50 \$15, nom. H. & C. Bakery 350 | \$75, nom. **Æ**10 | \$120 | \$8 \$5, sellers \$100 | \$55, Bellers \$25 \$86, sellers H. & K. Wharf & G. \$50 | \$71, sellers \$50 \$1!1, sellers \$125 | 89 p.ct.pm. sellers: \$236,25 Austin Arms \$50 | \$10, nom. Hongkong Hotel ... \$50 | \$65, sollers \$25 nom. 350 \$5, sollers Do. New Issue \$15 \$10, nom. Shameen DEUTING CES----Canton \$50 \$110, buyers China Fire \$20 | \$86, sales \$25 | \$67, sellers China Traders' Hongkong Fire North-China \$50 | \$317, buyers £50 Tla. 260 \$20 | \$81, buyers Singapore,.... Stmite Fire Simits Marine..... \$20 \$13, sellerā \$25 | \$96, huyers \$100 | \$26, buyers abuk Planting \$60 \$15, sellers and & Building-H. Land Investm't Kowloon Land & B. \$30 \$17, sellers Peak Building \$100 \$200, nom. Humphreys Estate West Point Buildg. 540 \$25, buyers Luzon Sugar \$100 | \$60, sellers Mining ... Balmoral Gold ... \$10 \$5, sellers Charbonnages..... \$131.58 \$850, huyers Jelebu \$5 \$4, sollers Panjom \$10 484 'O. Kaubei 17s.9d. 80 cts. sellers Belaina'.... \$5 \$2, sellers \$2 50 cts. teamship Coys.— China & Manila... \$50 \$65 sellers. Berne, in Switzerland, where a festival was be-\$50. \$41. sellers. Douglas S. S. Co.... ing held. The passengers in aboth trains, were H., Canton, & M... \$20 | \$88, buyers : £10, 80 p. et. dis. sellers Indo-Ohina S. N.... The number of persons injured in the gailway \$30 \$30, nom. Steam Launch W'chai Wareh'se Co. \$374 \$874 nom. There has been a renewal of labouritroubles lat Watson & Co., A. S., \$10 \$20 Fourmies, in France, and riots have occurred among the men. The Government has ordered E. & S. COKON. Mr. Foster, Secretary of the Treasury in the United States Administration, stated in audin-Share Brokers. OPIUM. terriew with a representative of the New York Herald that the Government held one hundred New Malwa 8490 Per Picul. million dollars in gold as a reserve. Besides this, Old Malwa..... 0 to 2 ... genoies. Irrespective of the gold reserve, the Oldest Malwa 8540 1 to 2 ... 0 to 2 Patna (New)\$498

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were standing on the bridge watching the flood ! EXPORT CARGO. bales gunnies, 1,110 packages merchandise, and o cases silks. For San Francisco -7,474 bars rice, 230 bags beans, 38 bags pepper, 137 bags coffee, 1,500 bags sugar, 22 boxes and nil, 41 boxes prepared opium, 10 cases silks, 100 flasks quicksilver, 7 bales gannies, and 1,537, pankages | Hongkong and Shanghai Owing to the great advance in the price of The American syndicate arranged by Mr. merchandise. For Comito—I case silks. For rye, bread for the German army will be made from wheat.

Company has lodged 37,000,000 dollars for that dise. For Acajutla—4 cases merchandise, and merchandise. For Comito-L case silks. For I case silks. For New York-53 packages mer-The Church officials in London are in a chandise, and 335 bales raw silk. quandary as to what to do with the remains of 1400 persons found in the vaults beneath one of SHIPPING REPORTS The British steamer Sishan, from Swa'ow ject to the replacing of the remains, on the 7th Sept., had fresh breeze from S.W. and thick rainy weather.

The British steamer Hangelow, from Sydhev 20th Angust, had light southerly winds to Thursday Island August 28th: light vicinble winds to Cabra Island; thence to arrival fresh S.W. wind accompanied with heavy rain and S.W. swoll.

The British steamer Edendals, from Kutchinotzu 2nd Sept., had fresh S. and S.E. wind and high sea to Turnabout Island; thence to Lamock Islands fresh N.E. wind and high following sea; from thence to port light S. and S.W. wind and fine weather. The Chinese steamer Yungching, from Shanghai 4th Sept., had fog to Tungging: from there light to strong N-to N-E. wind as far as Ockson;

continuous heavy rain with light variable winduntil Tamtoo Head was reached. The British steamer Haiphong, from Foochow | The contents of the stomach have been brought th Sept., A noy 5th, and Swatow 7th, had strong to Hongkong for analysis. The peculiar and N.C. and E. breeze with a heavy swell from the trugic circumstances said to have been connected eastward and cloudy sky to Ockson; thence to with his death appear to have had no existence Amoy fresh N.E. breeze and clear sky. From except in the imaginative brain of a member of Amoy N.E. breeze and fine weather to Swater, the Customs staff. From Swatow fresh S.W. to W. breeze to Pedro Biance: thence to port moderate S.W. breeze. overcast with occasional showers. In Foochow British str. Mogul. In Amoy British strs. Hailoong, Nanchang, and Namyong, German stra. Chusan and Tai Yick. In Swatow British stra.

AMOY SHIPPING. September— . Cheang Hye Teng, Brit. str., from H'kong , Therese, Gorman bark, from Newellwans 2. Diamante. British str., from Hongkong. 2, Macduff, British str., from Shanghai. 3. Namos, British str., from Foochow. 3, Prometheus, British str., from Foochow. 3, Formosa, British etc., from Hongkong. , Nanchang, British str., from Shanghai. 3, Namyong, British str., from Hongkong, 4. Cass, Chinese str., from Hongkong,

4; Haitan, British etc., from Hongkong. deptember DEPARTURES. Wuotan, British str., for Hongkong. 1. Meefco, Chinese str., for Shanghai. , Sin Pang, Chinese g-bt., for Foochow. 2. Diamanto, British str., for Mauila. , Fokien, British str., for Swatow. Promethous, British str., for Hongkong. 3, Namos, British str., for Swatow, 4, Macduff, British str., for Hongkong.

SHANGHAI SHIPPING. ARRIVALS. September — 3. Nierstein, German str., from Moji. 3, Hae-shin, Chinese str., from Foochow, 3, Empress of China, Brit. str., from H'kong, 4. Haean, Chinese str., from Tientsin. 4. Fooksang, British str., from Hongkong. 4. Yangtsé, French str., from Kobe. 4. Cathay, British str., from Hongkong. 4, El Dorado, British str., from Tientsin. Hsin-sheng, Chinese str., from Tientsin. 4, Higo Maru, Jap. str., from Nagasaki. 4. Meifoo, Chinese str., from Swatow. B. Henricksen, Nor. str., from Nagasaki, 4. Feiching, Chinese str., from Tientsin. Sentember -- DEPARTURES. l, Nanshan, British str., for Nagasaki. I, Kumasaka Maru, Jap. str., for K'notzu.

2, Oscarshal, Nor. str., for Newchwang. 2. Lienshing, British str., for Cheloo. 2, Fungshun, Chinese str., for Chefoo. 3. Yuensang, British str., for Hongkong. 3, Chefoo, British str., for Chefoo. 3, Pechili, British str., for Foodhow. 4. Wuchang, British str., for Chefoo. 4, Yung-ching, Chinese str., for Hongkong. 4. Hsin-yu, Chinese str., for Chefoo. 4, Yehsin, Chinese str., for Chefoo.

PENS FOR PLEASANT WRITING -The Pons of Macriven & Cameron are recommended by 2,317 Newspapers: -They come as a boon and a blessing to men The Pickwick, the Owl, and the Waverley Pen. Sold by all storekeepers. Beware of imitation. MACNIVEN & CAMERON. Edinburgh. Scotland.

NEWS FOR THE FRENCH MAIL. HONGKONG. Close disagreeable weather has prevailed dur-

ng the past week. Local events worthy of note have been exceedingly few. A three days' golf competition for the MacEwen Handicap Challenge Cup commenced on the 3rd September; the Cup was won by Capt. Dumbleton. A verdict of death from drowning was returned in the case of Mr. D. Ferguson, who was found drowned in one of the filter beds on the 1st September. A petition against the Share Sales Regulation Bill was presented to Government and forwarded home by the last mail. Hongkong is to send a crew next month to represent the port at the Kobe Regatta. A very serious accident occurred to dir. W. Legge on the 4th September: on getting out of the tram at the Bowen Road he missed his footing and fell into the nullah, breaking his collar bone, shoulder blade, and four ribs. The three defendants in the conspiracy case which has occupied the attention of the Police Magistrate for the nast two months have been dismissed. The Sanitary Board met on the 4th September. The half-yearly meeting of the Hongkong Hotel Company was held on the 4th September. The annual meeting of the Hongkong Cricket Club was held on the 7th September. A team of cricketers left here by the Taisang on the 8th AMERICAN TOBACCO (TRUST) COM-September to represent Hongkong at Shanghai. PANY'S well-known brands of "SWEET CA-There were 2,166 visitors to the City Hall Museum last week, of whom 185 were Europeans. &c., &c., CIGARETTES and TOBACCOS. A proclamation by His Excellency the Acting-Governor in the Gazette revokes the proclamation of July 18th declaring Swatow to be an infected The appointment of Mr. Francis Alf ed Co

per to be Acting Surveyor-General during the absence on leave in Japan of the Hon. Samuel Brown is gazetted. Mr. E. W. Maitland, Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial Hospital, begs to acknowledge MOONEY, who for some time past has with thanks the following denation to the funds been temperarily noting as Secretary, is no of the Hospital: -Steamer Namon, \$10. The Surveyor-General (Hon. S. Brown) left on | Company. the 5th inst. for Japan for a short holiday. During his absence Mr. F. A. Cooper, of the Water and Drainage Department, will act for him. The steamer Airlie, according to Shanghai telegrams, was aground on the 2nd inst. on the Woosung Bar. Mesers. Gibb, Livingston & Co. inform us that they received information on the 3rd inst. that she had got off without damage. At the Kobe Regatta, to be held in the latter nart of October. Hongkong and Shanghai will both be represented. The Hongkong crow as at present decided on will be the Hon. J. H. Stewart-Lockhart, Lieut. Jackson, Messre, H. Skött, C. H. Thompson, and G. A. Caldwell. The rainfall for August, according to returns published in the Gazette by the Director of the Kowloon Observatory, was 16.79 inches as compared with 12.14 inches in the corresponding month of last year. 89.20 inches of rain have fallen in the four months of summer concluded. The construction of the Gap Rock Lighthouse is progressing, although hardly so quickly as one would like to see. It is satisfactory to learn, THE Undersigned, decorated with the Royal however, that the main building is now complete, the putting on of the roof having just been inform the Public that he has a large Collection finished. To day the work of erecting the of Goods for Sale in his Shop, such as-

order by the end of the year. FANS, EBONY FURNITURE with BEAU-During a thunderstorm at Shanghai on the TIPUL CARVINGS, SILK, FINE EMBROI. Sist ultime a house off Chapco Road was struck | DERED SCREENS with best CARVED arrival in this Harbour, none of the Company's by lightning. The electric corrent first struck | Enony France and Stands, FANCY GOODS the corrugated roof of the Electric Co.'s Works, and CURIOS. mering away at the roof with bamboos. The skilful workmen under the direction of the per chest, rew of native houses, but without doing much Exhibition Medals. damage. The remainder of the current went sions a telephone wire and disduction in the Charles house of the House wire and disduction in the

The following returns of the average amount Per steamship Bulgio, sailed on the 4th Sep. of bank notes in circulation and of specie in re-A cloud burst over the village of Kollmann, tember:—For Yokohama—500 bags sugar and serve in Hongkong, during the month ended 31st present but to lower the freight on cereals car- in the Austrian Tyrol, inquidating the place, \$40 packages merchandise. For fondulu-519 August, as certified by the managers of the re-Half the village was destroyed, and many of the bags beans, 269 bags rice, 50 boxes nut oil, 73 spective banks, are published in the Gazette:-AMOUNT. RESERVE. Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London, and China. 1,107,625 400.000 London; and Australia ... 1.336.323

Banking Corporation,

Mr. W. Logge, coming from Mrs. Belilios's garden party on the 4th lustant by the 6.30 tram, got out at Bowon Road and missed his footing, rolling into the nullah or open drain lately constructed alongside the tram line With the assistance of some of the passengers sections, may be seen at the COMPANY'S OFFICE, he was lifted into the car and taken to the where full particulars may be obtained Garden Road terminus, where fortunately Dr. Hartigan was awaiting the tram. Dr. Hartigan put him into a chair and convoyed him. copted at PAR in lieu of Cash. to the Civil Hospital where it was found that be had sustained fractures of the shoulder-blade. collar-bone, and four ribs. Fever has since set in and the condition of the patient is considered

3,449,092

1,500,000

CHINA. CANTON.

The installation of the electric light at Can. ton is-now-nearly-completed, and it is expected that illumination will commence next month. Very favourable rates are offered to private consumers. It remains to be seen how the Cainese will take to the innovation: The post-morten examination on the late Mr. Showan, of the Lec-quen, leads to the belief that death was the result of an overdose of obloral.

> PEKING. FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.

> > 24th August.

The death of Chang Yao, Governor of Shantung, has been received here with deep regret by rowed by the Company. all who knew him. It is said that the Viceroy Li Hung-chang sent his own foreign doctor to late to be of any use. The cause of death is believed to have been a carbuncle on the back of being.

The Chinese say the deceased Governor had been greatly worried about his finances. He was a poor man and a free borrower, and like all provincial Governors who interest themselves in the material progress of their Governments he found it necessary to spend a great deal of money. The Yellow River alone was a serious drain on the resources of a comparatively poor province. From the day he arrived at his 1891, at the rate of 55 per cent. per annum. post, indeed for some time before, Chang Yao had been borrowing money at full rates of interest both from Chinese and foreigners. When the German Syndicate visited China some years ago they made a bid for the Shantung business, and at once knocked down the rate of interest from 12 per cent. to 8. The French afterwards scription for each debenture are as follows:-\$5 came and knocked it down to 6. Eventually, however, the obligations to foreigners seem to have day of October, 1891. been consolidated in German hands to the Where no allotment is made the actual amount amount of some Tls. 700,000. Chang Yao memorialised the Throne for per-

mission to make these loans, and it is said that number of debentures allotted is less than the Imperial consent was given. But the Board of number applied for the surplus will be credited Revenue objected, and refused to acknowledge in reduction of the amount payable on allotment any national liability for either interest or prin- and any excess returned. Failure to pay any cipal. This has caused so much anxiety and irrita- instalment when due will render the allotment tion to Chang Yao that his friends attribute the liable to cancellation and previous payments to turmoil in his blood to the pressure of his forfeiture. fluancial troubles. The affair being one that conc. rus Germans,

the eventual repayment of the leans may be - \$100,000 thereof on 1st day of October, 1894. deemed as certain as if the funds were already lodged in the Deutsche Bank. Were the lenders | As to the remaining \$300,000 the Company may Brilish Chang Yao need not have worried himself to death about the matter, but rather have any one of the modes following, namely—they left the creditors to do that. H.E. Li Han-chang, Viceroy of the Kwang, and \$150,000 on the 1st October, 1901, or they

has sent up a large number of field guns and accontrements to his brother the Viceroy of Chihli, 1st October, 1899, or they may pay off the whole who has already more field artillery than he can make good ase of. But the Canton Viceroy ex- their option. plains that he has no means of keeping the guns from rust, that the white auts would destroy the carriages, that in Canton there are no horses to draw them, and if there were horses there is no forage to support them, for all which and a few other weighty reasons he thinks it most for the interest of the state that the custody of the guns should be entrusted to anybody rather than to

This is the Chinese way of saying that the Debenture applied for. previous Viceroy, Chang Chih-tung, had allowed the excellent Krupp to sell him a white elephant in these 103 beautifully made 9cm, guns and carriages.

Locusts have appeared in the plain of Chihli, though as yet no serious destruction of crops has been reported. The local officials are held responsible for such visitations, and the people are clover at capturing the locusts and destroying their eggs. The insects form a favourite article of food and are sold in basketfuls ready baked and browned. Foreigners have eaten them, and declare them to be toothsome morsels. The Baptist was not so badly off with an abundance of fat locusts to eat.

For other mail news see Supplement.

NOTICES OF FIRMS NOTICE. T HAVE This Day COMMENCED BUSI-MERCHANT.

GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. AUCTIONEER, under the Style of GORDON & CO. A. G. GORDON. Hongkong, 21st August, 1891. 11977

NOTICE.

IME Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents for Hongkong and China for the Date KINNEY BROS. New York branch of the PORAL," "STRAIGHT CUT," "FULL DEESS," ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 18th July, 1891.

NOTICE: THE SHAMEEN HOTEL AND LAND COMPANY, LIMITED. TT is hereby notified that Mr. CHARLES

longer in the employ of the above named Until further notice, all communications referring to the Company's Business should be addressed to the Undersigned. By Order of the Board of Directors, R: FRASUR-SMITH. Chairman,

5, Pedder's Hill, Hongkong, 3rd September, 1891. HIRANO NATURAL MINERAL WATER from Kobe, Japan, in Cases of 50 Pints each,

at \$5 per Case. H. KUSAKABE, Some Agent. Ice-House Lane. Hongkong, 31st August, 1691.

NOTICE

Order of Isabella the Catholic, begs to lighting apparatus will be commenced, and it is IVORY, SANDALWOOD, LACQUER expected that everything will be in working WARE, all kind of FINE EMBROIDERIES.

I to 2 cat'es, the sound being like that of a lot of people ham. All the above mentioned Goods were made by Central, will receive prompt attention. ourrent or part of it then shot across Wuchang undersigned, who possesses highly artistic talent necessary, communication with the Undersigned Boad and struck the top of the end wall of a and has been rewarded with Five European is requested, when immediate steps will be taken

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sidered due at Penang on or about the 10th inst.

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& M. Steamboat Co., for Canton Sishan, British str., 815, E. F. Stovell, Sept. 8, T i Oo, British str., 769, Golelouski, April 21, Chinese, for Canton OR THE PRINCIPAL Telemachus, British atr., 1,397, Jones, Sept, Butterfield & Swire, for London Triumph, German str., 674, J. Bruhn, Sent. Ed. Schellhass & Co. Yiksang, British atr , 887. Galaworthy, Sept. 1,

Jardine, Matheson & Co., for Manila Wuotan, German str., 1,016, A. Ott. Sept. 7 Wieler & Co. Yungebing, Chinesestr., 761, Paramere, Sept. 8, C. M. S. N. Co

BAILING VESSELS. per. (Parcels are not Camelot, Brilish bark, 369, H. Peters, Sept. 4, Mester a and Value of Pack- Carl Friedrich, Ger, sh., 2,640, Frohlick, July 6, Siemssen & Co., for New York Else, German ship, 1,375. Th. Pflieger, Aug. 5 Siemesen & Co., for New York Haus, German sch., 120, Hausen, Dec. 2, Black-Harvard, Amr. bark, 986, Colcond, Ang. 27, Reuter, Brookelmann & Co., for New York Iris, British soh., 208, Shaw, Aug. 31, Order Isabel, Nor. back, 1,260, S. Herge, Aug. 18, Router, Brookelmann & Co., for New York Jessonda, German bark, 883, Oessanda, July 29, Melchers & Co., for Humburg Kitty, British bark, 803, Wilson, July 21 Maria, Spanish sch., 51, Rrancisco Olvaro, July Marie Berg, Ger. bt., 536, Hindriche, Aug. 26, Wièler & Co. Nancy Pendicton, Amr. ship, 1,385, Pendleton, Aug. 23, Siemssen & Co., for New York Portland Lloyds, Amr. sh., 1,180, Forbes, July 18. Melchera & Co., for San Francisco

Stanfield, British bark, 590, J. Clark, July 3 Wieler & Co. Western Belle, Amr. bk., 1,974, Sweenay, Sept. 4. Shewan & Co. Zebina Gondry, Brit. bk., 1,087, Mauning, Aug. 23, Arnhold, Karberg & Co. AMOX. In Port on 4th September, 1891. here for the above | Cheang Hye Teng, Brit. atr., 923, Scott, Sept. 1; 1891. 1877 Galveston, German bk., 619, Jacobson, Aug. 22, Hyacinth, orgiser, 8 gans, 1,190 h.p., Capt. R. Pasedar & Co Kristina Nilsson, Ger. brig, 280, Boysen, Aug. Imperieusa, d.s. ornisar, 10 gans, 10,000 h.c.,

Cygnet, British bark, 409. Petersen, Aug. 25, 31, Malcampo & Co. Namyong, British str., 938, Wm. Smith, Sept. 3, Leander, cruiser, 10 gans, 5,500 h.p., Capt. K. Phoe Chun & Co Nauchang, British str., 1,062, Morgan, Sept. Boyd & Co Sin Kolga, British bark, 512, Nielsson, Aug. 26, Meronry, orniver, 13 guns, 7,390 h.p., Capt. H. A. Petersen & Co. Tai Yick, German str., 903, Emke, Aug. 31 H. A. Peterson & Co Therese, German bark, 391, Moller, Sept. 1 Pasedag & Co

F∍OCHOW. In Port on 29th August, 1891. Conlest, British bark, 486, Soderman, Aug. 21 Master Crown of Arragon, British str., 1,448, Dorward Aug. 23, Gilman & Co Hae-shin, Chinese str., 674, Bassett, Aug. 27. C. M. S. N. Co Hideyoshi Maru, Japanese str., 466, Hallstrom, Aug. 23, G. Siemssen Mogol, British str., 1,827, Johnston, Aug. 27 Gibb, Livingston & Co SHANGHAI.

In Port on 4th September, 1891.

Alghan, British str., 1,439, Golding, Bept. I

Dodwell, Carlill & Co Airlie, British str. 1,492, Ellis, Aug. 31 Gibb, Livingaton & Co. Bankchef Henrickson, Ger. str., 444, Benzenius, Sept. 4. Ed. Schellham & Co Canton, British str., 1,110, Sel'ar, Sept. Jarnine, Matheson & Co. Cape City, Amr. bark, 439, Wetherall, Aug. 29 Hopkins, Done & Co Cathay, British str., 1,873, Symons, Sept. 4, P. & O. S. N. Co Charon Wattana, Siam, bark, 565, Koch, Aug. 11. Jardice. Ma heson & Co Chas. S. Whitney, Br. sh., 1,651, Carey, July 16, Reuter, Brookelmann & Co. 10th instant will be Chintung, Chinese str., 907, Wiesor, Sept. . C. M. S. N. Co Choysang, British str., 1,194, Bradley, Aug. 21, Jardine. Matheson & Co Djemnah, French str., 1,945, Bonnefoy, Aug. 21 Messagories Maritimes Dors Forster, Brit. str., 1,570, Morgin, Aug. 25, M. B. Kaisha El Dorado, British str., 892, Payne, Sept. 4, Jardine, Matheson & Co Empress of China, Brit. str., 3,003, Tillett, Sept. 3, Dodwell, Carlill & Ca. Feiching, British str., 994, Warren, Sept. 4, 8. M. 8 N. Co Fooksang, British str., 990, Wilde, Sept. 4 Jardine, Matheson & Co Has-an, Chinese str., 899, Andrew, Sept. 4, P. & O. S. N. Co . .. C. M. S. N. Co and to ports in Mexico, Central and South connecting Lines, Central Pacific, Northern Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it Hesper, Amr. tark, 660, Society sen, Aug. 29, Return Tickets.-First Class.-Prepaid re- ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on Higo-marn, Jap. str., 871, Thompson, Sept. 4, Nippon Yusen Kaisha. Goods undelivered after the 12th instant will Holhow, British str., 861, W. Sloss, Aug. 31, Palos, Aur. gunboat, 6 guns, 500 h.p., Lieut:-W. Song Hsin-sheng, Chi. str., 855, Bachanau, Sept. 4, O. M. S. N. Co. . [2043] Kobe Maru, Jap. str., 1,630, Ekstrand, Sept. I. Nippon Yusen Kaisha Lumanaka Masu, Jap. bark, 147, Kawamoto, Aug. 26, M. B. Kaisha Kweilin, British str., 1,038, Vandin, Aug. 25, Butterfield & Swire Morris & Co C. & J. Trading Co Malwa, British str., 1,694, Preston, July 22, P. & O. S. N. Co. C. M. S. N. Co Butterfield & Swire Moratein, German str., 731, Kennewsg, Sept. 3, Hopkins, Dunn & Co Ningpo; German atr., 762, R. Koehler, Sept. 1,

Satsum. British bask, 364, Suenson, Aug. 13,

Morris & Co

State of Maine. Ame. ah., 1,467, Curtis, Aug. 14, Titan, British etr., 1,525, B. J. Brown, Aug. 21.

Butterfield & Swire

BHIPPING IN PORT. Toonan, Chinese str., 938, Warwick, Sept. O. M. B. N. C. Yangtae, French atr., 1,991, Lartique, Sept. 4 Messigeries Maritimes lungping, Chinese str., 567. Watts, Sept. Chi. Eng. & Mining Co NA TABAKI.

In Port on 26th August, 1891. Augustas, German str., 858, Aulia, Aug. 6, C. F. Boedlinghaus Fuyo, Japanese str., 855, Eden, Mar. 16 Miteni Bishi Colliery Genkai-mara, Jap. str., 824 Thomson. Ang. 20 Nippon Yussen Kaishia Kozaki-maru, Barge, 400, Christenseu, Nippou Yusen Kaisha Kumamoto Maru, Jap. str., 1,240, R. Pender, Mar. 9, Nippon Yusen Kaisha Santiago, British back, 954, Thomas, Aug. 10 C. & J. Teading Co

In Port on 25th August, 1891. Benlomond, Brit. str., 1,753, Thompson, Aug. 24, Cornes & Co Gilornix, British ship, 2,239, Dixon, July 24, C. & J. Trading Co Hoaming, British ship, 1,449, Putnam, July 31 Delacampo & Co Granite State, Amr. sh., 1,690, Baratow, June 19, C. & J. Trading Co Heola, Amr. ship, 1,476, Cotton, Aug. 16 Frazar & Co Helono Rickmers, Ger. str., 2,007, Hess, Aug. l Samuel, Samuel & Co Heyer, German str. 388, Nielson, Aug. 21 Captain Marquis of Lorne, British back, 1,143, Viokery Aug. 21, Master Mutsu-maru, Jap. str., 564, Miyagi, Aug. 23, Nippon Yuson Kaisha Paramita, Amr. ship. 1,498, Norton. Aug. 19 R. Issaes & Brother Senator, British ship, 1,474, Ellis, June 24, C. & J. Trading Co 22, Nipnen Yasen Kaisha Nippon Yusen Kaisha Verons, British str., 1,876, Seymour, Aug. 23, P. & O. S. N. Co Yechigo:marn, Jap. str., 712, Matsumoto, Aug. 23. Nippon Yusen Kaisha

YOKOHAMA. In Port on 22nd August, 1891. Albania, British ship, 1,489, Anderson, Aug. 4, R. Isanes & Bro. Benlom and, Brit. str., 2,670, Thomson, Aug., 18 Cornes & Co Denbighshire, Brit. str., 1,662, Gedye, Aug. 13, Samuel, Samuel & Co Esmoralda, Brit. sch., 148, Harrison, July 24, Jardine, Matheson & Co Keemun, British etr., 1,935, Perelle. Aug. 21, W. M. Strachan & Co Kobe Maru, fao. str., 1,359, Haswell, Aug. 20 Nippon Yusen Kaisha Mogul, British ste., 1,631, Johnson, Aug. 16, Dodwoll, Carlill & Co Moldava, British str., 1,477, Clark, Aug. 22, Samuel, Samuel & Co. Bimla, British str., 2,087, Killey, Aug. 20, C. & J. Trading & Co Telemachus, Bris, str., 1,397, H. Jones, Aug. 24, Butterfield & Swire Yangtso, French str., 2,371, Lartings, \uz. 29, Messageries Maritimes

BANGKOK In Port on 26th August, 1891. Alboin, str., 649, Aug. 11 Aurora, British bark, 295, Bernit, Nov. 3, Bestrice, Italian bark, 746, Guiseppe, Aug. 20, A. Marawald & Co Queen of England, Capt. Sponcer, July 25.

HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S SHIPS IN THE OHINA SQUADRON. Alsority, d.-s. steel despatch host. 4 grant. 3,189 h.p., Com. C. A. Adair, at Yokohama Archer cruiser 6 gaus, 3,500 h.p., Com 1. J. Ferris, at Hankow Caroline, cruiser, 14 gans, 1,440 h.p., Capt. Wm. R. Olutterhuok, at Shangbal Egeria, surveying ship, Coml. A. M. Field, at Sandakan l Esk. double-sorew gunboat, 3 guns, 340 h.p., tu reserve, at Hongkour Firebrand, composite gaubost, 4 gans, 460 h.p., Lient, C. J. Baker, at Newshwang W. Craigle, at Singapore Capt. Edmand S. Pos, at Yokohama Burges Watson, at Yokohama Linnet, ganboat, 5 gans, 1,050 h.p., Com. V. D. Tisdall, at Chinkiang Chas. J. Balfour, at Yokohama Peacock, gambost, 6 gams, Liout.-Comd. Ingram, at Wuhu Pigmy, gunbost, 6 guns, 1,200 h.o., Lieut.-Com. Hewett, at Hongkoug Player, emphast, 6 cans, 1,200 h.p., Lieut.-Com. L. K. Bell, at Amoy Porpoise, steel torpedo oralest, 6 gaus, 3,500 h.p., Com. R. W. White, at Yokohama Rattler, compositor-bt., 6 guns, 1,200 h.p., Liout. Com. J. G. Heagh, at Singapore Redpole, guabost, 8 gaus, 1,200 b.p., Lieut.-Com. Freeman, at Chinking Severn, orniser, 12 gans, 6,000 h.p., Capt. W. H. Hall, at Yokohama Colent, torne lo mining launch, at Hongkong Swift, double-screw g.-v., 2 gans, 1,010 h.c., Com. Hon. R. Bingham, at Hankow Tweed, double-screw cun-vessel, 3 guns, 340 h.p., in reserve, at Honokong Victor Emanuel, receiving ship, 20 gans, Commedera E. J. Church, at Hougkong

Wivern, turret ironelad, 4, 1,450, in reserve, at

Hongkong. FOREIGN MEN-OF-WAR ON THE CHINA AND JAPAN STATION. Admiral Kornilow, Russsian ornisor, Capt. — Aiedesieff, at Vialivoslock Llexandrine, German cruiser, Capt. Schneider. at Nankiug Allience, Amr. corv., Comd. Felix McCarley. at Cherco Aspic, French gunboat, 4 guns, Capt. Journel, at Shanghai Bobre, Russian orniser, 13 guns, 1,100 h.p., Capt. Boyle, at Vladivostock Comete, French gauboat, Lieut. Martel, at Haiphong Diu. Portuguese g.bt., 6 gans, 700 h.p., Captain M. A. Gomes, at diacac Djigit, Russian corvette, Capt. Filkersam, at Visdivostock Itis, German ganboat, 4 gans, 4,810 h.p., Capt. Ascher, at Port Arthur Inconstant, French gunbost, Capt. Jouquieres, at Shangasi 🝝 Korovets, Russian gunboat, Capt. Flisoff, at Kraysser, Russian corvette, 6 gans, 1,205 h.p., Capt. Rojestwensky, at Viadivostock Leipsiz, German cruiser, Captain Rottgar, at Lutin, Franch g-bt., Com. Nenny, at Bangkok Mandjur, Russian cruiser, 7 gaus, Comdr. Kasi, at Shapebai Monoracy, Amr. gun-vessel, 6 guns, Com. M. L. Johnson, at Yokobama Nayosdnik, Russian orniser, 9 guns, 253 h.p., Capt Zarine, at Vindivostock Com, J. Marthon, at Foodbow Pamiat Azova, Russian eruiser, Capt. Lomes. at Vladivostock Parsoval, French cruiser, Capt. Fourest, at Pluvier, French g-bt., Capt, Lapad, at Hongkong Raina Cristina, Spanish oruiser, Capt. Inglista, at Manila Siventoh, Russian craiser, 13 gans, Capt. A. Plaskin, at Amoy Sophie, German orniser, Captain Herbing, at Nanking . Swatara, Amr. corvette, Com. P. H. Cooper at Yokohama Triomphante, French frigate, Capt. Cornulier Lucimier, at Vladivostock Velasco, Spanish cruiser, 4 guns, Capt. Jose Fernandez, at Shanghai Villars, French cruiser, Captain Thousens, a Vladivootook Vipere, Franch guirbost, 4 guns, 100 h.p., Capt. Constelle, at Hongkong ... Vladimir Monomach, tinsstan orniser, Captain Doubassoff. at Vladivostock Volturno, Italian orniser, Comd. Royob, at Shangbai Vostock, Rus, g.bt., i guns, Com. Molchousky, at Vladivostock.

Wolf, German gunboat, 2 guns, 350, h.p., Lieut.

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HONGKONG, WEDNELDAY, SEPTEMBER 918, 1891.

THE SHARE BILL. The petition against the Share Sales Regulation Bill was sent home by last week's mail. It occupies three columns and contains three arguments, which may be concisely stated in a few lines. The first is that the Bill will interfere with the business in shares transacted between Hongkong and other places; the sec md, that it will be some trouble for for a quarrel. But this is exactly what the ture, prostrate with a soldier's foot on his tion to the latter proposal on the ground of fluctuating quantity. tain the numbers or marks of the shares he is about to sell; the third, that in the event of the bankruptcy of a seller on time there would be inconvenience in adjusting any subsequent transactions that may have taken place in relation to the same shares. There free prosecution. Any industries founded soldiers were acting under orders from head-under existing conditions. It is quite open are a number of assertions and denials, advanced with the object of showing that the Bill is unnecessary and that it will not have the effect intended, but the above are the only actual arguments advanced against it. With respect to the first argument, namely, the probability of stoppage of business be- for damages or loss caused by breaches of clearly of strongly anti-foreign proclivities. character. ask how the operation of the Bill can by evasion or a sullen denial of liability. particulars of this scandalous outrage adds have that result. If it had, people in Hong. Dittle by little a sense of wrong and injust that the recent Imperial Edict in reference kong would then receive the same protection that receive the same protection of foreigners in China, One of the first facts which strikes a dress you, through the authorized channels, on if there is any evil demanding attention (and they and for the rise is unchecked, a necessary cordon Stock Exchange. Only shares allotted on, and no recress is consumed, the torong impeded or is an evil like any other form of gambling), that Therein consists the hardship Government too illiberal and too callous to timation of it given to the public. The and boy to the English domestic. He sees Government or by any other means. on shareholders in Caina. London shareholders can realise in China as well as in London, and no restrictions prevail about trunsferring London shares to the China registored under the Companies Ordinances have been dealt in largely have been dealt in l viously on the London register, are not legal tender in London, while shares on the London register are legal tender in China, and by been predicted years ago, but the time of its degradation of the Governor or whoever was arise to be often met by direct insolence operation, will unduly interfere with a very the colony; and that its provention will afford shares of the kind named and giving rise to an analysis of the positional of the colony and that its provention will afford shares of the kind named and giving rise to an analysis of the positional of the colony and that its provention will afford shares of the kind named and giving rise to an analysis of the positional of the colony and that its provention will afford shares of the kind named and giving rise to an analysis of the colony and that its provention will afford share and the colony and that its provention will afford share and the colony and that its provention will afford share and the colony and that its provention will afford share and the colony and that its provention will afford share a colony and that its provention will afford share and the colony and that its provention will afford share and the colony and that its provention will afford share a colony and that its provention will afford share a colony and that its provention will afford share a colony and that its provention will afford share a colony and that its provention will afford the colony and the colony are colony are colony are colony and the colony are Bill fails to protect shareholders on the China register. If it affords them any measure of protection it is in making sales of London shares in China a little more costly, as, to comply with the provisions of the Ordinance, the number of the shares sold would have to be given, and this would cost in telegrams say \$4 on fifty shares, or eight cents a share—or four cents a share on one hundred shares—if the shares were in consecutive numbers. While buyers or sellers of £1 or \$7 shares are willing to pay ten cents a share brokerage, or twenty cents on the transaction, we fear that an additional four or eight cents a share will not stop them. But in selling shares to arrive from London ducers in Europe who have suffered of contracts would not pass; there would be no occasion for contracts to pass until the numbers of the shares were received by the mail. Mr. Keswick's Bill is not aimed at business for the settlement, or even at business forward; it is aimed at

ence. Here prudence is cast to the winds because sellers are ready to meet buyers not for a formight, or a month, but for six months or a year. As to the second argument, the inconvenience of looking in the safe to ascertain the numbers or marks of the shares to be sold, we will not insult the reader's intelligence by entering on the supererogatory task of answering it. The third argument, namely, the inconvenience to subsequent dealers in the same parcel of shares in the event of the original seller failing to deliver, is altogether specious. Bankrupteies are fortunately not so frequent that a remote contingency such as that suggested in the petition need considered a fatal objection to a Bill calculated to do so much good as the Share Sales Regulation Bill. Practically, however, the Bill will make little change in the position as regards bankrupts failing to deliver. If such a failure takes place under existing circumstanc's the loss has to fall on someone, and it will be the same after the Bill comes into operation. Whatever else may be said in favour of a continuance of the present system it certainly cannot be contended that the system is so excellent that bankruptcies can take place without involving innocent parties in loss.

the system of forward short selling, over

which there is no check- such as is provided

by the fortnightly settlements of the London

Stock Exchange. If a man wanted to sell

a "bear" or buy a "ball" with a near set-

tlement impending he would exercise prud-

Looking down the list of signatures we find that the petition is signed by only two out of the seven banks in the Colony under Eugopean management. The Chartered Bank and Chartered Mercantile Bank have signed, but the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, the New Oriental Bank, the National Bank of China, the Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris, and the Bank of China. Japan, and the Straits are absent from the Altogether the signatures number of hundred and fifty odd, of whom some thirty-five are share brokers or share brokers' clerks: there are about the same number of Chinese, and about twenty Parsees and Indians, not including those already counted amongst the brokers. The petition purports to come from all sections. of the community, and the fact that the promoters have been able to secure only a hundeed and fifty-five signatures shows how numerically weak the opposition to the Bill is. It is true a number of yery influential names are found amongst the signatures, but a larger number of equal influence are absent. The opinion of the community may perhaps be fairly gauged by the banks only two out of seven supporting the opposition. Signatures have been very carnestly canvassed for, and the promoters of the prize within have hitherto been vain. the petition have taken care to shield; from the nipping frosts of public criticism by withholding it from publication, but with king Government whether the obstinate perall their tender care and solicitude they have only been able to raise the movement to feeble proportions. They have even gone so far afield in their search for signatures as to calculated to hasten the crisis they fear. secure that of Mr. Fales, the United States Vice-Consul at Amoy. It is not long since a British Minister-was re-called from Washington for interfering, in what seemed

tics of the United States, and we really will have to be added by the British Minis- the imposition of tomage dues is one which the two metals ?" Every one engaged No later than this present Session, the Par- diminishing credit and in producing the crisis, cannot see what right the United States ter. This outrage, of which fuller par- should not be allowed to pass without pro- in the Eastern trade must, we think, liament of Great Britain has refused to inter- now erroneously attributed wholly and entirely Vice-Consul at Amoy has to sign petitions ticulars are now to hand, took place in test. The Penang Gazette admits the justice agree as to the desirability of a stable ex. fere with the absolute freedom of the trade in to short-selling. relating to the legislation of this Colony. Manchuria, in the province of Kirin. Dr. of imposing imperial taxation in order to the weight of a petition is to be Great, who belongs to the Irish Presby-provide for imperial defence, and proceeds sound trade to mere gambling; and the name of the iron contracted for. In the value of some stocks is erroneously at judged more by the character of its argu- terian Mission, was returning to Kwan-cheng- to advocate that this imperial tax should be only way to secure stability is by The evils complained of were the same, the re- tributed by Mr. Keswick solely to short-selling ments than the number of its signatures; if tzu, in Shingking, from Kirin, whither he levied in the form of tournage dues. While we the adoption of the bimetallic system. It medy proposed the same, the objections the Your petitioners humbly submit that the rea the arguments are forcible in themselves it had been on his usual monthly visit di are not disposed to join issue on the abstract would be fatal to the progress of India to same. Why should the Legislative Council of reason is the natural reaction following on a is unnecessary to dwell much on the char. pensing medicine, a work of charity and justice of a uniform imperial tax, we are adopt a gold standard, as suggested by Sir Hongkong be pensitted to interfere with the market unduly inflated by excessive speculation, acter or standing of those by whom they are benevolence which should have secured him constrained to do so most strongly on the DAVID BARBOUR. Gold is too expensive freedom of trade in a way condemned as unand intensified by a real fall in the value of many advanced. But in the petition under notice from ill-usage, for the medical missionary is ground of expediency. A tax that might and does not exist in sufficient quantity to suitable and inconvenient by the wisdon of the stocks owing to losses, etc. there is no weighty argument whatever. generally welcome even in China, where he be a convenient way of raising money in supply the currency requirements of the limit which is the last that the last th The earlier portion of it is made up chiefly heals the body as well as ministers to the one Colony might be fatal to the prosperity of world; the demands upon it have already of misstatements on matters of fact, and soul, and the materialist Chinese care vastly another. Tonnage dues, for instance, might appreciated its value enormously, and it when the petitioners come to argument so more for the tabernacle than for the spirit. be comparatively unobjectionable at a ter. India were to adopt it as her standard she little can they find to say that they are It seems some boys followed the doctor's minal port where there was no transit trade to would be ship to refuse to sanction this Ordinance on the out money or with insufficient resources to driven to plead that the measure should be travelling cart for several miles, and then be considered, but at ports of call such as those placed in possession of a standard not near-ground that it is a departure from the law of speculate for the rise, buying shares that they disallowed because it will be some trouble to the selfer of shares to look in his ledger or safe where these young rascals returned and which are dependent almost entirely—more ber present one. Let her adopt bimetallism to specific reconstruct and the standard not need in possession of a standard not need in possession of the standard not need in possession of a standard not need in possession of the standard not need in posse to ascertain their numbers or marks!

THE OBSTRUCTION OF TRADE IN CHINA.

of doing everything possible to curtail and detention he suffered subsequently, for raise the amount of the contribution in the handicap foreign trade, by throwing ob- at midnight he was roused in the inn at manner most convenient to thomselves. On have been of a temporary character, and it is the little of the raise of developing the first and detention to the inn at manner most convenient to thomselves. On have been of a temporary character, and it is the little of the raise of developing the first and detention to the inn at manner most convenient to thomselves. On have been of a temporary character, and it is the little of the raise of developing the first and detention to the inn at manner most convenient to thomselves. On have been of a temporary character, and it is the little of the raise of

cessful, and efforts to extend the transit a terrible outrage, under still more shocking own part we think it altogether inexpedient, the spirit of the Treaties are met either The correspondent at Moukden who furnishes on, and no redress is obtained, the foreign issued in consequence of the riots in the stranger to the East in his altered circum- all-occasions when, in our opinion, that growth do not deny that rush and hazardous speculation rective in the market. carcless to press the claims and the Chinese the Governor General of Kirin, and no in- feriority in almost all particulars of the Local it has ever risen or can rise to the magnitude of fully represent and submit that not only will admit their justice. Everything has an end, shameful attack upon and imprisonment of a methodical execution of duty without any however, and one day foreign patience will Dr. Greig show the feeling of this official anticipatory approxiation of his require. the Legislative Council." An Ordinance to amond has been the cruse of the existing evil, as is In the first place the insertion of the numhave an end, when China will be summoned towards the missionaries, and whatever ments. This, added to the difficulty which the law in respect of the sale of shares in com- evidenced by the fact that no shares which bers of the shares sold in a contract for sale on never have been called upon to make had who so grossly exceeded their powers, stood, speedily reduces his stock of patience. 1865 to 1886 and in other joint stock companies," many years below a value which would give consequences of the document. Your memorialshe only treated foreign residents with com- and probable instructions, the British Go- He scarcely expects, however, when he pays which Ordinance, if allowed and confirmed by Her more or slightly more than a return of 7 per ists are advised that instead of an executory mon honesty and fairness. This might have vernment should at least insist upon the his good round dollars to these function. Most Gracious Majesty the Queen and put is to cent, which is the recognised rate of interest in contract to be satisfied by the delivery of any occurrence second to the last degree uncer- primarily responsible for this uncalled for and disobedience. The "independence" of valuable bus ness carried on in this colony and any remedy to the particular evil complained of. action for damages only for non-delivery, a con-

their influence at last. Meantime the pro- subjects. late through commercial depression and have felt the punch of hard times have been discovering that the more effective onenings of China to trade would furnish a better outlet for their goods. disappointment at the non-expansion the trade with China, a country so vast and populous, has been giving rise to queries as to the causes, and alike in England and Germany mutterings of dissatisfaction have been heard. More particularly has this been the case in Lancashire, among the piece goods manufacturers. In Germany, too, the same feeling has found expression. "Kulitow's Trade Review, referring recently to the troubles with China, said there was another reason beside the satisfaction of missionary claims for turning attention to that country, It is a query," proceeds our Berlin contemporary, "whether many of our com-' mercial people have ever thought seriously " on the subject of Chinese trade. It may 'be that the broad expanse of water which practically divides us and also the beculiar constitution and customs of the people " have nipped the blossom of enterprise be-" fore the fruit scason was at hand; and yet which will cause that nation to occupy the "thoughts of Europe in the future. It has been repeatedly pointed out that Ger-

man trade requires new fields for enter-After pointing out that the protective policy now being pursued by many European coun- guard in business to merchants, as it tries and by the United States is closing would give a full opportunity to persons many markets, Kuhlow proceeds :-- "The "only part of the world therefore which certaining the financial position. remains open is the East. China is cor-"tainly" the proverbial land of protection "and is well known for her retiring nature as far as European or any other polities are concerned, so long as China herself can be left alone. Nevertheless there was a certain amount of traffic the time of the ancient Romans and also "during the Middle Ages. The English have been the pioneers of this trade since the seventeenth century, when they entered into commercial relations with China." Then follows a sketch of the course of foreign trade with China, and the gradual growth of German commercial relations with her, relations which Kuhlow considers might be largely augmented, for which purpose it says, in conclusion: - "It is necessary that China "should be opened up to us and that into 'Eastern Asia the culture of Europe should be introduced, and this will only happen " through an extension of Chinese commerce. "in which we have every right to suppose 'that we shall have a large share." This is frank enough, certainly, but it is sometimes well to be frank. Chiuz has long been the oyster which the western commercial world has vainly sought to open. The shells of the obstituate bivalve have been forced a lit tle apart, but the struggle to keep them zier has been continuous and all efforts to get at

The feat will be achieved one day, and it may be worth the consideration of the Peseverance in their present pritating policy of breaking the Treaties in small matters and violating their spirit wherever possible is not

THE ATTACK ON DR. GREIG. very harmless way, in the domestic poli- eigners in China the case of Dr. J. A. Greso the military contribution should be met by fix by legislation the respective values of by this Ordinance in Hongkour alone. concected some story to the effect that so in Hongkong than in the Straits—on by all means, if circumstances and the acland in a like case.

Dr. Guero had abducted one of their their shipping trade, our policy ought to be tion of other Governments render such a Theone exception number, or whether the report was put by all means to attract shipping, and to tax course possible, but to adopt the single into circulation at the last place at which it is certainly not calculated to have that gold standard would simply be to invite loss. Act, but that Act applies to Bank shares only, had no means of paying for and no reasonable.

ment among the Treaty Powers that the contenting themselves with this course, they interest as it illustrates what has to be put. under the control of the vendor at the date of colony, as a whole, had been injured or its future | will give rise to much trouble and possible lit limit of their forbearance has been reached prejudged the accused, and taking the law up with in nearly every house from day to entering into the contract. It requires the in- throatened. The evil complained of is that gation, and that common action for the common into their own hands most foully ill-used an day. In this particular instance we have ceaseless infractions of the treaties have had fensible attack on one of Her Majesty's charge to procure some refreshment. That was that you saw no objection to its being two great operators selling short.

> THE REGISTRATION OF FIRMS AND PARTNERS.

practitioners have reason to know, has now be his "pidgin" to pay five dollars into and a large majority of the members declared disclosure where it is expedient that it | "pidgin" is. should be made and to debar the litigant from the privilege hitherto much appreciated of fighting under false colours. It is to be hoped that this object will be 'successfully attained." The practice of Chinese amongst themselves of limiting the Commerce. If an Ordinance was passed and firms were allowed to register their partners and the amount of each partner's liability was named, it would be a great safehaving dealings with such firms of astime the effect would be that every firm of any standing would comply with Ordinance, otherwise they would not enjoy the standing and credit of registered firms. The effect of this on respectable Chinese firms would be to keep the business in their hands. The Chinese themselves are quite "between China and Europe in existence at ready to adopt a system of registration, as is evidenced by the petition they presented on the subject of bankruptcy in 1889. Having suggested sundry amendments in the bankan alternative to the above, the petitioners would suggest that a new Ordinance might be enacted requiring masters of shops and coming unsuccessful the creditors might

" partners to register their own names and the real amount of their capital, so that the financial condition of their business 'might be always ascertained without dif-" fleulty, and in the case of a business bemake the master and his partners settle the debts in proportion to the number of "shares each holds." Under the present system the object of all the partners of a firm that gets into difficulties is to keep in the backthrough the Bankruptcy Court. A system of registration would afford security to the creditors against this kind of trickery. The fluctuations in exchange, they are of opinion as absolutely free and unfettered as is the trade arising and locally operating there has been the Partnership Bill introduced in the House of Lords last year by the Lord Chancellor, but which did not pass into law, provided. their natural course." In reply to this anrespective liabilities of the partners. This is in effect what the Chinese want, and such a system of registration would, we believe. be an excellent thing for the colony.

THE MILITARY CONTRIBUTION:

A PENANG SUGGESTION. he stopped, is not very clear, but such a effect. Admitting that it is reasonable the and disaster. India may or may not have and was passed to remedy a serious public evil, expectation of being able to take up when the The policy so markedly adopted by the canard certainly did get abroad, and was the colonies should contribute to the cost of an immediate cause of the indignities, beatings, perial defence, they ought to be allowed to silver but whatever profit there may have great financial institutions through the deliber-bling spirit that prevails from time to time, but whatever profit there may have great financial institutions through the deliber-bling spirit that prevails from time to time, but whatever profit there may have great financial institutions through the deliber-bling spirit that prevails from time to time, but

trade with the Treaty Ports and by levying lodging by some soldiers belonging to the a point which still requires threshing out laltogether. What bimetallism sims at is to submit that Leebann's Act has fallen, in prac- rise and suffering severely in character and in verse effect to that intended by short-sighted Naturally Dr. Greig could give no satisfaction we are to raise the a mere matter of detail. The rehabilitation mandarins. If the Treaties were faithfully ob. tory roply, but only ask what he was charged sum required. The Penang Gazette quotes of silver would probably raise its value, but served foreigners could have no ground for with, and deny having touched any child. Mr. STRAD's suggestion, that many dues of what is desired is that whether the dollar gricvance with China; she would fulfil her Then followed a most savage attack on the say 2 per cent. should be levied in the ports stand at 4s. 2d. or 3s. 2d. its relative value obligations, and the other contracting parties | unarmed and defenceless man. After being of the Empire on all goods entering from to the pound and the pound's relative value would have no chance of finding a protext savagely beaten in a most humiliating pos- outside the Empire: Apart from the object to the dollar should be a constant and not a Peking authorities fail to perceive. Every neck, he was tied up to a post, with his toes lits infringement of free trade principles, provincial official is encouraged to baulk the just touching the ground, and there suspend both it and the tonnage dues scheme are foreigner and render his commercial oper led for about an hour, when he was let down open to the objection that they might possiations as troublesome and as unremuner. for fear he might collapse. Eventually bly result in the colonies having to pay a ative as possible by interfering with trade he was taken back to Kirin and there sum considerably in excess of that which the and placing impediments in the way of its locked up as a prisoner for three days. The home Government are content to demand in the settlements at the Treaty Ports are quarters, but being brutal fellows they no either to the Straits Settlements or Hongkong immediately made the object of underhand doubt bettered their instructions. It was in to impose tonnage dues as a means of raising opposition, which is usually only too suc- this province that some soldiers perpetrated revenue if they think it expedient. For our trade are met by a multiplication of barrier circumstances, on a French missionary some and it would be doubly inexpedient to give dues that renders it impracticable. Claims few years ago. The authorities in Kirin are the taxation an imperial instead of a local

A REFRACTORY BOY

will seriously in mre many of your petitioners. cruelty to an innocent man. Even sup-the Chinaman is of the most offensive

> dignified individual, however, who exhibited the pride of a mandarin in his refusal to cut! a few sandwiches, did not think it "his

names other than their own, should prove thought the provocation received by Mr. facts by which it was said to be justified and on in support of the Bill; very many anonymous 'a valuable aid in unmasking the real Pike a sufficient extenuation of the which it was based, and the seconder, the Hon- letters have appeared in the public papers on the Some day probably the long talked of even technical assaults on servants is not could be usefully passed into law.

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assumed very considerable proportions. Court, and perhaps in the future he will be themselves against the Bill as interfering with Your memorialists admit all this, but point The object of the committee is to compel a little less particular as to what his the freedom of trade and on the ground that it again to the fact that there is no allegation of and the number of transactions and will steadily which it was directed

THE SILVER QUESTION. The interminable silver question was referred to at the recent meeting of the Bank of Bom- beg of you, before advising Her Majesty on the letters and addresses in opposition to it, it ap- date to C to resell to D, and so on through the pears that the Bill is deliberately aimed, not at alphabet. That the same lot of shares should be liability of their partners is well worthy of bay by the Hon. Mr. L. R. W. FORREST, the foreness of opinion that exist in the Council the attention of the Hongkong Chamber of Chairman, who said that in some five months and the colony on the subject and to examine indulged it by many to their ruin, but against the original vender, for any reason whatever, in hence the silver party will no doubt again the question afresh and on its meritaendeavour to legislate further in the interests The better to enable your Lordship to deal dual operators who, as Mr. Ackroyd plainly date comes, see the confusion. None of the of that metal, and it is probable that specul- with the subject they have to premise that under puts it, by their short sales rule the market ation, which indeed has already begun, per the provisions of the Companies Ordinance depreciate all stocks, and ruin, as is alleged, the haps a little prematurely, will force exchange

up before the end of the year. Referring to machinery of its vast trade Banks, insurance has been during the last few years very great his contract are not tendered and to refuse to the efforts of Sir David Barbour, Finance companies (fire and marine), manufacturing, gambling in shares, very heavy losses, much in. | take delivery of any others, if the state of the Minister, to start a discussion on the merits ministr. building, trading, and investment com- dividual misery and suffering, and while acknow- markets makes him anxious to get rid of his of a gold coinage for India, Mr. Forrest panies whose operations extend over all parts of ledging that it would be desirable, if it were bargain, said-"We on this side are generally of the East and the market value of the shares in possible, to check and control the spirit of speopinion that America has got her head so which was estimated by Sir George W. Des collation that periodically rides rampant over of Mr. Keswick's Ordinance will render slow and far into the silver mose that she will never Voeux in September, 1889, at sixty-three millions all modern forms of investment, most respect. difficult of management the operations of the be able to withdraw it, and we have there-It is of the very essence of the limited liability | that short-selling, to prevent which alone Mr. fore declined to discuss the question of a

THE SHARE SALES REGULATION

BILL.

Secretary of State for the Colonies.

Colony of Hongkong. May it please your Lordship.

gold currency as at present beyond the that there should be a free and open market for ed, has not in any marked degree brought of all shares to the injury of all local companies region of practicable economics." In his their shares, and, in Hongkong, avery large and about the existing state of affairs in the colony, and of business generally. subsequent remarks he favoured the view valuable trade has sprang up in the shares of the and that its prohibition will not in the least that a low exchange had promoted the export local companies and of others connected with the check the gumbling spirit, diminish specule- fully submittrade of India, but said that whether ex- East. A very large capital, estimated at many tion in the future, or render it less injurious change rose or fell he was still hopeful millions of dollars is employed in the trade, in a crisis. They further submit that while ruptcy law the petition went on to say.—As India would hold her own. "What we all which is not merely local but embraces in its not materially intertering to prevent gambling India would hold her own. "What we all periffections London and Nore Verb Calcutta on to distribute the arrive transfer to the same transfer transfer to the same transfer ramifications London and New York, Calcutta or to diminish the evils consequent upon it, the fear and dread," he went on to say, "are the and San Francisco. Bombay, Singapore and prohibitions contained in Mr. Keswick's Ordinviolent fluctuations of exchange which cause Shanghai, and a very large number of persons ance will seriously interfere with all legitimate business operations to become nothing more are interested in the trade as investors, dealers, than a mere gamble; we shall be thankful and brokers.

any movement that will help to fix by tune that speculation in shares and in share degree diminish the actual value of the very legislation the respective values of the property, as distinguished from investment, has large and valuable share property that forms so two metals." The speech led to some prise, but it is now almost universally recognised of the colony. newspaper correspondence, a Mr. A. F. as a legitimate branch of business, inseparably In the first place, the colony has recently Beatront alleging that Mr. Fornest stood connected with and essential to the full develop- passed or is still passing through a very severe alone in his opinion and quoting the follow- ment of the principle of limited liability and to commercial crisis, arising mainly from general ing resolution passed by the Bombay Cham- the continued existence and success of the great causes financial and otherwise, arising in Engber of Commerce by a very large majority companies and corporations founded on that land and America, and only in part from local ground and leave some man of straw to pass five years ago":—"That they deprecate principle, by means of which such vast amounts events. The severe fluctuations in exchanges any interference with the currency. While of capital have been got together and such im- have caused heavy losses. Extensive speculamense enterprises commenced and carried out. admitting the inconveniences of constant | In England and in America alike this trade is house to the ground. Among the causes locally

after considering the question from all sides in any of the recognised articles of commerce, in absolute failure of many planting, mining, and that the fall in exchange leaves a balance of cotton, or sugar, or pig iron, and mon are free to trading companies formed here in 1888, and benefit to the commerce and people of India, buy and sell shares for oash or on time, and to consequent loss of the monies invested. This the registration of partnerships and the and are in favour of allowing things to run enter into contracts for the sale of shares that has crippled many. Other companies floated at they have not in hand and must go into the the same period have not yet proved a success

other correspondent suggests that since 1886 market to acquire. Speculation in shares, as in cotton, and sugar, money is hopelessly looked up there. As stated and pig iron, has occasionally been pushed, in by Sir George W. Des Voeux in his despatch held by the majority of the Chamber, and England and America and in every civilized to your Lordship of the 31st October, 1889 asks-"Has it not been made powerfully country in the world, to extremes and great No. 331, thirty-five companies with a paid manifest by the fierce light of our recent ex- losses have been suffered and great orims up capital of over A millions of dollars perience that the one essential now required brought about; but, with the exception to be were formed in Hongkong in 1888-1889. to promote the development of India's trade mentioned hereinafter, there has been no legisla- These account for many heavy losses and is a stable exchange, and that the necessary of contract, and logislatures have again and arising from local causes. The failure complete The suggestion advanced by a Straits degree of stability cannot possibly be allow- again refused, while recognising an undoubted or partial of these companies has directly affected To the long list of recent outrages on for- contemporary that the increased charge for ed except by an international compact 'to evil, to apply the femaly sought to be applied hundreds of men and has reacted in all directions

affecting the sale of shares be one thing in Great | recent orises in the local share market; that the

Hritain and another in Hongkong? Your memorialists, therefore, pray your Lord- and speculators but by the foclish man with-

The one exception to which reference has been

staties in the way of developing the inland which he and his dispenser had obtained what had a light to be fixed in great part if not likely to tribe and your memorialists further for a fall or impedualists then from busing for a

illegal additional imposts on foreign goods. Governor General's bodyguard, who demand- but whatever that basis may be we cer- re-establish stability, the fixing of the ratio tice, into despetude, even in England, and is pocket when they are overborne by the weight is calculated, sooner or later, to have the re- cd to know what he had done with the child. tainly do not want the Imperial Govern- in the values of the two metals being wholly disregarded on the London Stock Ex- of money or of intelligence in the opposite camp.

> selling, but that in both countries the experi- but it has certainly not given rise either to the land the Stock Jobbing Act of George the operation of Mr. Keswick's Ordinance will neither Act, was as regards public stocks to precisely mitigate its effects. It may very possibly Ordinance, but it was deliberately repealed in is operated on by both bulls and bears. They the 23rd year of Her Majesty's reign as an mutually counteract and restrain each other. The following petition against the Share Sales undue interference with the freedom of trade. The unrestrained success of either leads to a Regulation Bill was sent home by last week's and an inconvenient restriction on the sale of crisis and a loss. If Mr. Keswick's Ordinance

To the Right Honourable Lord Knutsford, The Memorial and Petition of the Undersigned Bankers, Merchants, Brokers, Traders, and others carrying on business in the tract and from the practice of short-selling that Keswick's Bill will not in any way succeed in We, your memorialists, are residents of and carry on business in Hongkong and are deeply will effectually core the disease.

a public evil, affecting the common weal and Mr. Keswick's Ordinance by no means remedy We address you now complaining of the ac- needing legislative interference; and they fur- the evils it is brought forward to cure, but if

This Ordinance, first introduced in July, 1890, po ters of Mr. Keswick's Bill have not brought bargain and sale by which the property in the Recent events have, however, helped to posing for a moment that the officials in kind and is asserted in the most ag- by an unofficial member of Council, the Honour- it forward or supported it on any distinctly public shares mentioned in it is transferred from the advance it considerably. The riots and question did believe that the doctor had ab- gravating manner. At home of course it able James Johnstone Keswick, applies to all ground. There is no complaint, as when date of the contract and the risk shifted and outrages in the Yangtsze Valley and else ducted a child, it was their duty to simply would be called insubordination. A case shares in all joint stock companies the provisions | Leemann's act was passed, that any great public that the contract can only be fulfilled by the where; if they have not exactly proved the arrest him and hand him over unburt to his which was heard at the Police Court on the of "Leemann's Act" in regard to Bank shares. It institutions had been shaken; that public credit delivery of the precise shares enumerated.

sertion in the contract of sale of the numbers or | many individual speculators in shares had suffered marks of the shares to be affected by it. It very severely; in other words that very many good must be taken. The anti-missionary unoffending gentleman over whom their Em- three gentlemen returning home at midnight. renders null and void all contracts that do not men had been largely speculating for the rise riots are the nominal cause of action, but peror has no jurisdiction. We trust that What could be more reasonable, or less re- identify the shares sold by numbers or otherwise. in shares; that their expectations had been disthere is no doubt that exasperation at con. Lord Salisbury will insist upon most ample garded as an imposition on any servant's On its first introduction it was reserved for appointed, to their great injury and loss, and tumelious treatment long continued and satisfaction for this gross and utterly inde- good nature, than to request the boy in your Lordship's consideration, and your reply that this had resulted from the action of one or

> Lordship on this point to the memorandum annex-The unofficial members of Council are not ed to Mr. Keswick's draft Bill when forwarded agreed upon the subject. One of them, the to your Lordship in Mr. Fleming's despatch of pidgin'' to do anything of the kind, nor in- Honourable Mr. Chater, has been absent during the 2nd September, 1840. This memorandum was till they are actually delivered in London on deed to call anyone else who might have no the entire period of the debates. The member drawn up by the them Acting Attorney-Generate the settling day. To wire the numbers out The following, from the Law Times, raises a such scruples. It is not surprising under representing the Chamber of Commerce has al, Mr. Ackroyd, a gentleman who speaks with here will cost much money, more, probably, question of local interest :—"The new rules the circumstances that the defendant in the consistently opposed the Bill and divided against knowledge and experience. It states the case in than the difference in price between the two issued by the Rule Committee of the Judges case, Mr. Pike, lost his temper, uttered a it in almost all its stages. The Honourable favour of the legislation proposed as strongly with respect to actions by and against big D, and "went for" that boy. Nor is member (Dr. Ho Kai) representing the Chinese and clearly as it has been stated anywhere. The with respect to actions by and against big D, and "went for that boy. Nor is community, after hearing Counsel against the whole case of the supporters of the Bill is sumsummarized by and against big D, and "went for that boy. Nor is community, after hearing Counsel against the whole case of the supporters of the Bill is sumBill, moved for an inquiry into the truth of the med up there. Many speeches have been made

plaintiff or defendant, who too often finds offence, and inflicted a merely nominal oursble Mr. Ryrio, was strongly of opinion that same side, but no other case has been made for it convenient to lurk behind an alias, fine; but the practice of committing the Bill needed many amendments before it the Ordinance than that put by Mr. Ackroyd -" That there has been excessive gambling system of registration of firms and partners one to be generally commended. It is in. Your nemorialists would further represent shares in Hongkong in 1989, in 1890, and in the will become established by law, but, until finitely satisfactory, however, that an exam- that, at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, early part of this year; that many have been will become established by law, but, until finitely satisfactory, however, that an example specially summoned to consider the question, the ruined, not merely professional gamblers but the whole of the committee of the Chamber (consist- many young man who have been induced on fair comed as an attempt to grapple in a practident young vagabond as Leune Chan Hot ingofthe leading merchants in the colony) with the promises to buy shares for future dates; that tical manner with an evil which, as legal and that he should be well fined. It will exception of the mover and secondar of the Bill, this gambling has led in some cases to crime and

afforded no adequate remedy for the evil against any direct public evil as in the days of the Stock lower values. Jobbings Acts, or at the date of the passing of Your memorialists, therefore, in the first Leemann's Act, and they crave your Lordship's pany by their numbers and enters into a contract place submit that your Lordship's instructions | very earnest attention to the fact that, alike in | to sell them at the next monthly settlement at an with reference to the passage of this Bill Mr Ackroyd's memorandum, in the specches and enhanced price. B to whom he sells has those through Council have been disregarded, and they letters in support of the Bill, as well as in the shares under his control and resells for the same pears that the Bill is deliberately aimed, not at alphabet. That the same lot of shares should be short-selling, as a common practice asserted to be | dealt with in such a fashion is not unusual. If short-selling as practised by one or two indivi- unable to deliver these identical shares when the

fully submit for your Lordship's consideration ! principle on which all these companies are founded Keswick's Bill has been introduced and pass- sales and transactions and steadily lower prices if the Government of India will join in It may be in the eyes of some a great mistor. lower the prices of shares generally, and in a

tions in exchange have brought more than one

mischief is done not by the professional gamblers

financial institutions. An Ordinance forbidding men to enter into

Short-selling has not caused the rash and Your memorialists in this connection would, extravagant gambling of the past few years; lastly, call your Lordship's attention to the fact it has not given rise to the heavy losses that have that in recent years both in France and in Gerbeen incurred, to the rain that has been caused, to many attempts were made to limit the freedom | the orimes that have been committed. If it has of trade in shares and stocks and to stop short. had any effect it may have aggravated the losses. ment was abandoned as unencoessful. In Eng. gambling or to its results, and the coming into Second's reign, commonly known as Barnard's stop gambling in the future nor in any way the same purport and effect as Mr. Keswick's aggravate them enormously. The share market

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stops, as is hoped, the operations of the speculators But it is urged by the supporters of this Or- for a fall, those operating for a rise will hold undinance and will, doubtless, be pressed upon your | obecked sway, and the fall will come and come in-Lordship that such great evils have arison in evitably from the very success of their dealings. Hongkong from this unlimited freedom of con- Your memorialists submit therefore that Mr. it has become a public evil, that a remedy is checking the admitted evil of which he complains, earnestly needed, and that the limitations impos- rash and excessive spooulation and heavy conseed on share dealers by Mr. Keswick's Ordinance quent losses and ruin to many. Short-selling is will effectually core the disease. interested in the growth and continued pros- Your petitioners most emphatically dony that a principal feature, in the disaster, and short-perity of the colony and claim the right to ad- there is any public evil needing a remedy, or that selling may be said to be, while buying on time

But your memorialists further most respect

Your Lordship will have noted that the sup- tract under the new Ordinance will become a last straw, have brought about a tacit agree. Consul at Newchwang for trial. Instead of 5th inst. will be read probably with some forbids the sale of shares not in the possession or had been affected; that the prosperity of the This in the poculiar circumstances of the colony

> A large business is transacted in the most legitimate way between London and Hongkong in shares, and between Hongkong, Shanghai, Yokohama, Manila, and other places. A man contracts in London to buy 50 shares in any company and he can now sell these at once on proceeded with, if the unofficial members of Your memorialists beg leave to refer your local improvement. When Mr. Keswick's Ordinance comes into force he will no longer be able to do so. To sell here he must be able to give the places. He cannot operate, however wealthy or however legitimate his business. The same rule applies with greater or less force according to distauce to every place with which Hongkong deals. This largely limits the transmissibility of shares and in so much lessons their market value. In the local market many difficulties and much

delay will arise. At present a man no matter how busy is able to direct a broker in a few words. Sell or buy me 50 or 100 of this stock or that at such a price." He can no longer sell without looking in his safe or in his ledger to see what shares he has and ascertaining their numbers or marks, or sending to his Bankers to find out. These are little things in themselves, but they will check and check largely the freedom of sale A merchant has purchased 50 shares in a com-

others are able to deliver as per contract, even although ready and willing to go into the market and buy 50 other shares. Each purchaser is able

In many other and smaller ways the action share market, a market in which of all others speedy action is needed. This will diminish

(1.) That this Bill of Mr. Keswick's has been pressed through Council in opposition to your Lordship's instructions, that it is opposed to a greater or less extent by three of the unofficial members of Council, and that a fourth is absent and has been absent during the debates; that it is opposed by the Chamber of Commerce and by the general feeling of this commercial community.

(2.) That no public inter sts are at stake or are involved in the Ordinance, but only the relief and protection of private individuals, who have only themselves to blame for their losses.

(3.) That it is simed, confessedly simed, at one or two individuals and that it is not even alleged that short-selling is general or generally practisul: (4.) That the evil-complained of—rash specula-

tion in shares and the consequent losses -are not the rash speculations and losses of short sellers, but the rash speculations and losses of impecunious purchasers for a rise. and that the prohibition of short sales will neither prevent persons animated by the gambling spirit from speculating for the rise at any time hereafter when things look promising, nor will it prevent the consequent reaction, heavy fall, and serious loss that must always follow on such operations whether there is or is not short-selling to aggravate the nosition.

5 .- That short-selling, if it has had any part in recent lesses, has had but a small part and that these losses can easily and well be accounted for by well-known facts in the history of the past three years.

(6.)—That the rule of law now introduced will seriously hamper all legitimate dealings in shares and change the legal character of the contracts for the sale of shares on time, will stop all dealings with places outside of the colony, and will impede the local business, to the injury of investors, dealers, and brokers alike to the diminution of the value of the shares in local companies and to the injury of the trade and prosperity of the colony.

(7.)-That it is a serious and one-sided interference with the freedom of trade in a business now universally recognised and practised, unauthorized by any precedent in the logislation of Great Britain or of her colonies, and condemned by the experience in the past of England, America, France, and Ger-

Your petitioners therefore humbly pray your

(1.) To take this their respectful memorial and petition into your earnest consideration. (2.) To advise Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen to disallow the Ordinance introduced by the Honourable J. J. Keswick and passed, by the Legislative Council of Hongkong entitled "An Ordinance to amend the Law in respect of the sale of Shares in Companies registered under the Companies Ordinances 1965 to 1886 and in other Joint Stock Companies."

(3.) If your Lordship should deem any legislation on the subject of shares and share dealing desirable, to direct a commission of inquiry to take evidence and report on the subject.

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Challenge Cup, which extended over three days, was concluded on the 5th inst. at Happy Valley. The conditions were by no means favourable to good scoring. Long grass obstructed a running ball, the greens were soaked and difficult to manonvre, while the course generally was one marshy swamp. The conclusion arrived at by more than one player was that there is golf and golf. If the Happy Valley links, and can neither boast of "Rimalayas" nor selves for re-election. a" Pandemonium," it can at least outrival them in one respect—it can send a golfer home with

St. Audrows itself. Not that these evidences are desirable in themselves, only they are inseparable concomitants of an afternoon's play when the weather god does not prove propitious and the Racecourse remains undrained. The condi- Bonds of Chinese Imperial Government tions, such as they were, were all in favour of the scratch player, who by long driving and careful dodging could clear the mire in which, literally, his more medicore partner was belabouring his ball and was playing, perhaps, his eight more. The competition, too, took place at short notice, and found most of the players unprepared for want of practice. The short notice given was a necessity which could not Melbourne branch:-Cash in hand, in very well have been avoided if the military players, who form the backbone of the cricket Sydney branch:-Cash in hand, in course Lean which left for Shanghai on the 8th inst., were to be considered. There were only fifteen entries for the cup, but under the circumstances that is not surprising. Captain Dumbleton, who owed 7, came in first with an actual score of 89. All things considered, this was a creditable score, and fairly entitled him to premier honours. He had only one 7 and three 6's, the rest being 5's, 4's, and 3's. Major Bennott was runner-up with a handicap score of 99; un 11 put him out of winning. The follow-

G. Stowart 113 less 5-108

ing are the five best scores:-

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB.

The annual meeting of the Hongkong Cricket

Club was held in the Pavilion on the 7th just. The ground appeared to be in capital condition and the final practices of the members | To written off securities, furniture, &c. ... of the team which to day leaves for Shanghai To balance to profit and loss account were taking place. The alterations and improvements which at the last annual meeting, it will be remembered, were decided upon appear to have been forwarded rapidly, and it is expected that the extension of the pavilion will By interest be completed before the opening day, October Dy transfer fees lst. At the meeting yesterday there was a By bad debts recovered crowded attendance of members, and the interest displayed in the proceedings suggests : healthy entliasiasm in the Club which ought to ensure for the coming season especial success. Hon, A. J. LEACH was elected to the chair, and in opening the meeting said that he would ask the Secretary (Mr. Arthur K. Travers) to read a letter which all the members would be interested to hear. The Secretary then read the following THE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY letter from the late President, Hon. W. M

" 29th June, 1891. "My dear Travers,—At the next annual meet. of the Hongkong Hotel Company was held on inhabitants of Hongkong in such close and ing of the Cricket Club please express to the the 4th instant at the Hotel, Mr. E. Jones friendly intimacy for so many years.—I have the members my very deep regret that I am obliged Hughes (Chairman of the board of directors) honour, &c. to sever my connection with the Club through presiding. There were also present Messrs. J. my retirement on account of il-health. I look H. Cox, J. F., C. da Roza, N.-J. Robinson, back with pleasure to the many games which I H. T. S. Green, J. R. Michael, S. L. Darby, have played on our ground, and I trust that the C. A. Ozorio, Chun Lum, and the Secretary, Club will continue to flourish, and especially will Mr. R. Lyall.

that letter be felt he was expressing the senti- will, with your permission, bonsider it as read. ment of all present when he regretted very sincorely the absence of their former president, and his departure from the colony. (Hear, hear.) of this Companyand had been for many years a director not taken a very active part in cricket, but the had not been present to watch every phase of the game with the greatest interest. (Hear of the left ult. I am further to inform the colony will, with your permission, consider it as read. Our late Chairman, Mr. McCulloch, whose death you that in returning your provious letter of the left ult. I am further to inform and this departure from the colony. (Hear, hear.) of this Companyand had been for many years a director. He had during that time done a great deal for the interest and welfage of our hotel, and devot. Otherway and his excellency conveyed no slight to the Chinese community in this Colony. The the interest and welfage of our hotel, and devot. Otherway and his excellency conveyed no slight to the Chinese residents of Hongkong usually address the Governor through the proper channels and in the most courteous language, and His Excellency can bardly therefore assume that they approve of the tone can have thought fit to the meetives. In the home matches they had been Mr. MICHAEL-I notice a charge of \$600 for uniformly viotorions, and only in the south had they suffered defeat. Ho thought that was perhaps only untural, because the Hongkung team were under agreed disadvantage. That is in connection with the new the firm of Messers. To be all the firm of Messers and also for Mr. Gubbav creditors and also for Mr. Gubbav to condition. Correspondence on post in the room and suspended to it. In this post in the room and suspended to it. In this and Gubbav creditors and also for Mr. Gubbav to condition. Correspondence on post in the room and suspended to it. In this post in the room and suspended to it. In this post in the room and suspended to it. In this and Gubbav creditors and also for Mr. Gubbav to condition. Correspondence on post in the room and suspended to it. In this post in the room and suspended to it. In this and Gubbav creditors and also for Mr. Gubbav to condition. Correspondence on post in the room and suspended to it. In this post in the room and suspended to it. In th unusually cold and that affected their play con- The Chairman-It is on 1,200 shares, at siderably. But when the Hougkong team went, the rate of half-a-dollar a share. south they encountered heat which they were Mr. MICHARL They were sold in the market, understood, that some players could hardly orawl The CHAIRMAN-Yes. agrees the ground (Laughter.) He thought that the annual meeting was the proper time to era amongst the success of several valuable cricket. Continuous that adoption of the success of several valuable cricket. Dort and assemble of the suppose of

north on Tuesday, and he believed that they by rotation, were re-elected. (Hear hear.) It would only be proper of him were appointed auditors. them a free passage to Shanghai, and the Canadian and Pacific Line through Messrs. Dodwell, Carlill & Co. had offered to convey them home in one of their splendid Empress liners. (Applanse.) He was sure they would all cordially thank it was due to the depression which the colony morning of the let inst. The following evidence had suffered lately he could not say, but at any was taken :rate he had never seen their treasurer display James F. Boulton, civil engineer, said—I knew in the subscriptions. (Laughter.)

seconded the adoption of the rep rt and accounts, I was with him for about half-an-hour before which was carried unanimously. Mr. A. G. Wise next proposed that the tram with him, where I left him, he go-Hon. A. J. Leach should be asked to ac ling on the car. I stood talking to him til cept the office of President in the room of the car started. When I met him in the Hotel Captain Deans. They know that he was a very I said. " Have you been dining here to-night?" enthusiastic cricketer. Col. CHATER seconded and the motion was said that I thought that either he was not in carried amid applause. Mr. A. K. TRAYERS again accepted the office be questioned any further about it. We had a of hon secretary, with Mr. Ram as assistant, drink together at the H tel. and Mr. R. Tresilian undertook the duties of . Thomas Stevens, breaksman on the Tram.

The following Committee was elected by balsecretary). Mr. R. Tresilian (treasurer), Messys. peculiar about him in any way. He got out at A vote of thanks to the Chairman concluded the meeting.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

The following is the report for presentation the first tank, and saw a man in a stoop- and expenditure, and not only the first tank, and saw a man in a stoop- cheque books had gone, the counterfoils were **B**: 4 p.m.:— The directors have now the pleasure to lay before the shareholders a statement of the Company's ac- | times. Mr. Minhinnett sent for the Police, and counts for the year ended April 30th last. The not premia earned amount to \$731,967,47 ag against \$653.507.45 collected during the previous The working account shows a balance at credit of \$505,418.00, which sum the directors recommend be tanks when going to and from his house. Monoppropriated in the following manner:-A dividend of 18 per cent, to share. A dividend of 15 per cent, on contributions, payable to all contributors of

The reserve fund, with the above addition, will YOKOHAMA AND WELLINGTON (NEW ZEALAND) Since the issue of last report branches of the Company have been catablished at the above ports, and the management of the former entrusted to Mr. A.

3. Gardt and the latter to Mr. J. Whittall Messrs. C. F. Rowband and M. Paquin have retired from the board owing to their departure from the Colony, and Messre. J. Thurburn and B Schmacker have accepted invitations from the directors to fill the vacancies. These appointments will require the confirmation of the abaraholders. Messes. J. Thurburn and L. Poesnecker retire by otation and offer themselves for re-election."

The annexed accounts have been audited by possesses few of the sporting attributes of home | Mesers. T. Arnold and H. U. Jeffcios, who offer them-L. Poesnecken, Chairman. Hongkong, 5th September, 1891. more evidences of his sport than Prestwick or Statement of Accounts for the Year ended

30TR APRIL, 1891. V8BELE" Cash in hand Pixed deposits with banks Invested in mertgages of properties...... Loan, 1841 Bonds of Chinese Imperial Government Loan, 1886 Fixed deposits with banks ... \$1,235.71 India 4 per cent. stock125,996.61 Indian railways (guaranteed

_course of collection, and on fixed deposit 158,021.66 of collection, and on fixed deposit Furniture at head office and branches..... Policy etampa interest accrued, but not yet payable Premia uncollected Due from agencies Less due to agencies 2,863.13

LIABILITIES. Capital subscribed Dividends outstanding Profit and loss account...... WORKING ACCOUNT. l'o losses l'o charges, commissions, &c..... office and branches To exchange

By premia, loss re-incurances and return . 3 By amount brought forward from last year 201,929.49 have failed to convey in sufficiently diplomatic Mr. Keece submitted that even in Hongkong been appointed as one of the Buard's Inspectors. RESERVE FUND. : **\$650**,000,00 By balance on 30th June, 1890 H. BAT, Secretary, Hongkong, 31st July, 1891.

The half-yearly meeting of the shareholders will not loosen the bonds that have held the

get 'quits' with our southern friends the next | The notice convening the meeting having been The CHAIRMAN said that in connection with having been in your hands for neveral days, we letter of the 18th ult. I am further to inform letter

of the game with the greatest interest. (Hear, has not improved as much as your directors approve of the tone you have thought fit to continued by the continue continued, he thought that the position of tion the extremely dall season this year, we the Club was a matter for congratulation, taken have done fairly well. I do not think that all round. Financially they had got a credit the opening of the two hotels at the Peak have balance somewhat in excess of what they had taken much off our receipts. I have much plealust year, but against that they had to remember | sure in stating that our new wing is progressing the set-off of expense in connection with the ex. rapidly towards completion. I have personally tension of the pavition, which he understool made several visits to the building while work would be finished by the first of October. That, was going on, and can confidently say that the however, was nothing if they took into consi. work is being substantially done. The extreme deration the great benefit which would result to difficulties in the financial position of the colony the members of a Club which was ever increasing. have not permitted the complete floating of the Numerically the Club had improved steadily, new issue of capital; the portion taken up is fully explained in the report. Before proposing ture would be recorded again at the next annual the adoption of the report and accounts, I shall meeting. Referring to the cricket in the last be glad to answer any questions if in my power

on that occasion to thank two commercial firms . The CHAIRMAN intimated that the dividend for their generosity in connection with this visit. | warrants would be nested on Monday, and the Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co. had given preceedings terminated with thanks to the chair.

THE DEATH OF MR. D. FERGUSON MAGISTERIAL ENQUIRY. Mr. A. G. Wise held an enquiry at the Mathe active officers of the club, and especially kistracy on the 3rd inst. into the circum-Mr. Travers, their secretary, and Mr. Tresilian, stanes attending the death of Mr. D. Ferguson, the honorary treasurer. (Applause.) Whether who was found dead in No. 1 filter tank on the opposing.

so much energy and expend more time than he the deceased. I have known him about two or had done during the last season in bringing three weeks. He was civil engineer at the Naval Yard. I last saw him slive at ten o'clock Mr. E. A. RAM proposed and Mr. A. G. Wise on the 31st July, at Victoria Gap tram station. that in the Peak Hotel. I walked down to the and he said. "No. I never dine." When he the habit of dining or that he did not want to

rav. said-I remember deceased coming down by the tram on the night of the 31st alt. He lot :- Hon. A. J. Lesch (president), Mr. A. K. | came down by the ten v'clock tram. He spoke Travers (secretary), Mr. E. A. Rom (assistant to me once or twice. I did not notice anything T. E. Davies, W. H. Wellace, E. J. Coxon, and the Bowen Road. Another gentleman got out here. I have heard since that his name is Mr. Humphreys. I saw nothing further after they

> said—There is an iron gate at the entrance to the side path that goes round the tanks. It is closed at 6.30 p.m. It was shut as usual on Monday_night. At 5 a.m. the next morn-Minhinnett. When he came we lifted the deceased out. I have seen deceased before many the body was removed. There was a small mark on the forehend. The body was found on the side of the tank nearest the hill. Deceased was in the habit of asing the path by the side of the day night was a very dark night. He used to

get on the path by getting over the railings on the left of the gate. John Minhianette said-I got down to the business whether shareholders or not,... \$100,000.00 | eastward tank a few minutes past six on the \$ 50,000.00 morning of the 1st inst. I knew deceased by \$247.418.00 sight. I saw him in the tank on the south side of the filter bed, close to the distributing trough. Deceased was in a crouching position with the head forward on the coping, face downward, The top part of the head was just above water. There was a mark on the forehead as from a blow. I sent for the Police and had the body removed. I turned off the water. From what I saw then I found that he had fallen in on the north side. I saw footmarks where he had walked round the bed till he came to a pile of stones. Here there were marks as though he had tried to scramble out. My opinion is that in trying to get out he must have slipped, struck his head against the coping above, and fallen back slunned. There were about 2 feet 8 inches

> is soft enough to show footmarks. August us Shelton Hooper said-The dec as-d lived with me at " Devenia," above the level of the tanks. Deceased was in the habit of using this path by the filter beds daily. The gradient is much easier than the public road. Doctor Turnbull, R.N., said-I caused an examination to be made of the body of deceased I knew deceased personally. He was 57 years of 496,000.00 age. I was present at the examination. W foundall the signs of death by drowning. There 75,500.00 | was an abrasion on the forehead and face. From the evidence I have heard I think it is quite probable that he tried to scramble out, and striking

of water in the bed. The water comes to about

his head, stunged himself. His Worship found that death was caused by drowning MR. HO AMEL AND THE ACTING

GOVERNOR. correspondence with reference to the return by the Acting Governor to Mr. Ho Amei of his 3,128.30 the Sanday Cargo Working Ordinance, in \$10,000. This large sum of money stands after. It days' hard labour. consquence of the tone adopted therein and the letter being sent through the wrong

LETTER FROM MR. HO AMEI TO THE ACTING the debtor's personal expenses might be \$10,000 COLONIAL SECRETARY Hengkong 1st Soptember, 1891. 650,000,00 acknowledging the receipt of your despatch No. to be rash and hazardous speculation was occa15,617.84 1551 of 25th August, in which you point out sioned by the fluctuating character of the share Woo Lin Yuen, Hon. Ho Kai, Mr. H. McCallum, 505,418.00 that I had addressed the Acting Governor in market. In the common orisis about that time Secretary. stead of yourself or the Registrar-General when in Hongkong when so many people were. The minutes of the previous meeting were S1,771,005.84 I forwarded you the petition from all the ruined the debtor suffered heavily. Mr. Mas. read and confirmed. leading Chinese firms and houge in this ter's application for a term of imprisonment colony-not from several Chinese, as you state, - was surprising. The notice of objection con-134,330.83 | against the Sunday Labour Ordinance.

customs I should have failed to conform with now "obsolete and barbarous" practice. ing Governor to return me my letter. of complete mastery of English I may perhaps resorting to that alternative.

ferms the purport of Chinese feeling upon the the suspension or refusal of discharge for a In reply to Mr. Francis, the Suchernary question I wrote about, still no disrespect was period was a heavy punishment. He did strong. stated that Mr. Rennie was formerly a Police intended in anything I wrote and I beg that you ly appeal to his Lordship not to send the bank- Sergeant. will convey to the Acting Governor that it is so. | rupt to prison. A careful perusal of my letter does not reveal to me any expression that I would withdraw had | decision for a week. The additional slight that has been thus cast-

upon the Chinese community of Hongkong by the action of the Government is a matter of the deepest regret to me personally, and I do trust it

HO AMEL LETTER FROM THE ACTING COLONIAL SECRE-TARY TO MR. HO AMBI, Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 1st September, 1891.

tive.- I have the honour, &c. W. M. GOODMAN. SUPREME COURT! 3rd September. IN BANKE UPTCY.

BEFORE HIS HONOUR SIL! JAMES RUSSELI -- CHIEF JUSTI'CE, RE SORABJEE RUS TOMJEE.

across the ground (Langitor.) He thought that the annual meeting, was the proper time to mention the success of soveral valuable orickets average spoks for itself. He was certainly one of the most masterful and powerful bats they had sever had in the sloper, and cricketer he would be had to be at any round cricketer he would be had to be at any of the continue of had ever had in the colony, and as an all confirmation of the directors' invitation to far, pentation of being able to pay anomaly where. (Hear, hear.) He (the Chairman) had no doubt that in the coming contest with conded the election which was agreed to name too.

Shanghe, the Captain would prove what he was Mr. M. Jones Adglies and Mr. J. F. O. da hiseffairs, and thirdly, that he pay deep many had hear and hazardous speen.

will | worth. They all knew that a team was to start | Resa, who retired from the board of directors | habits of living. Taking this opposition into con. | 258,000 taels and interest at 7 per cent. That as- | a quarantine station in place of the one at Green | The soldiers took him back to Kirin a present. would all render a good account of themselves. Messrs. F. Henderson and H. T. S. Green proper perhaps that his discharge should be July last, when Rus II and Co. were in military authorities. At the recent discussion at that untimely hour the whole city was astir. His Lordship asked whather he understood that 10th July last. the application for discharge was withdrawn. Mr. Recco intimated in the affirmative. His Lordship pointed out that he could pro-

coed no further if that was the case, as he must nave some definite motion: before him. Mr. Rosco replied that he would proceed with the application for unconditional discharge. His Lordship-1 should like first to hour some statement of the objections from the gentleman i Mr. Master at considerable length, then pro-

rupt's examination last war before the Official It cannot be projudicial to the defendants. to most which there were no assets, his trade registered immediately? second ground of objection. Mr. Master strongly | credit they did get from the banks.

offence. Previously to that Rustomies had been contion in question was given. Bolah Singh, watchman at the filter beds. employed in a bank and was therefore a man who l must have known how to keep accounts. The words to the appointment of Mr. Ewens as receiver. of the Chief Justice might have been a warning to him. They found, however, that it was not The following is the report for presentation ing I came out of my house, which is close by so. In this case there were no records of receipts either totally blank or without proper particulars. Where had the \$40,000 unexplained gone! As regards the last objection that really was proved by the large sam which was quite an accounted for; If it had not gone in this way

t must have been concealed from the creditoral by the debter. In conclusion he arged that this was an aggravated case, and be thought that the ban rupt should be committed to prison. · His Lordship at this point referred to the fact that one of the opponents of the application-Mr.

the misapprehinsion that the hankrupt was well lie. Then defendent committed the assault com. city and suburbs, and ought to be used solely for and losses were so well known. Mr. Reece said that after what had fallen from I his lordship he did not think that he need dwell counter charge was then heard.

nine inches of the top. The saud at the bottom his house and had wen from him as much as was not his pidgin. He thought therefore that Mr. Gubbay had No. not come into that Court with very good grace. esire to prevent a larger deficit. To what extent i

Mr. Reece-To S12,000, I think. I submit, the sort. my lord, that there is no evidence of any integtion on the part of the debter to conceal his true l is mere carolossnese:

ly unexplained as to where it has gone. Mr. Rusee was not in a position to give any additional explanation. He thought perhaps

trined no reference to such intention, and inform me that you are instructed by the Act- board, or anything of that sort. The circum- opinion. stances were quite different and there was no-Permit me to state that though through want thing barbarous in prinishing a bankrupt by

> His Lordship said that he would reserve his 4th September. IN ORIGINAL JURISDICTION.

Before His Honour Sir James Russell. CHIEF JUSTICE. HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANK AND OTHERS C. J. M. FORBES AND OTHERS. ment of a receiver. Mr. Francis, Q.C. instructed by Messrs, a report as suggested by Dr. Cantlie. Johnson, Stokes and Master, appeared for the THE SANITARY SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT plaintiffs, and Mr. Leach, instructed by Messrs, Eweus and Reece, was for the defendants. hir. Francis said the original motion was for August was laid on the table. term restraining order had been given and all In one case a post-morten examination of the they followed the cart, then disappeared. After and Shanghai Bank, and Mr. i. II. White- sound condition of the heart was in all probabi- of a strong hand on his throat, and on opening of a large contingant of soldiers, who fortunhead, manager of the Chartered Bank of In- lity a contributory cause of death. In the other his eyes he found half a dozen soldiers (who question were inland lots 83, 718, 720, and geous who saw the dead body were of opinion that sonal body-guards) standing over him on the

were the proporties of the firm of Messrs. Rus- of a choleraic character. It had to be re- belaboured him most unmercifully with the which will fill in a big gap in the system of the soil and Co. and were registered in the Land membered that the majority of the persons re- backs of their old swords, then dragged him the Coast Increasor the Customs Engineer-in. Office in the name of John Murray Forbes, one of stering deaths here had, as a rule, no knowof the partners in the firm. The plaintiffs, the ladge of diseases, and they were frequently by no various banks in the colony, were judgment creditional to the majority of the persons redeath persons redeath membered that the majority of the persons redeath persons redeath membered that the majority of the persons redeath persons redeath membered that the majority of the persons redeath membered that the membe tors. The object of the suit was to set aside cortors and dealers and dealers to be set aside cortors deade and dealers to be set aside cortors deaders and dealers to be set aside cortors deaders and dealers to be set aside cortors deaders and dealers to be set as a correct to be set as tain deeds and declarations affecting the property (to their minds the actual cause of death. If a body was a mass of bruises. At this stage, he has been found and it is to be bound the which the plaintiffs alleged to be fraudulent, and sick person purged and vemited a few times was asked, "Where is the child?" He replied has been found, and it is to be hoped the needing the house asked will be found early too. By the little pending the hearing of that suit the plaintiffs before death, they stated that death was due to that he knew nothing about the child; in fact information that has leaked out it appears the asked that a receiver be appointed to take charge vomiting and parging. of and manage this valuable property. A portion of the property consisted of k rosene go
Mr. Francis, in rising to move a series of of banditti and entirely at their mercy he offered a quarter hundred miles, which will show far APPLICATION FOR DIA CHARGE.

downs which had always been in the hands of resolutions on the subject of a hospital for the apply for his discharge. He was represented by siderable income. Mr. Cran.

Mr. Francis, in rising to move a series of or vandum and enursy at their mercy he chercy has mercy a quarter hundred miles, which will show far resolutions on the subject of a hospital for the to purchase his release with money, but was met a quarter hundred miles, which will show far resolutions on the subject of a hospital for the to purchase his release with money, but was met a quarter hundred miles, which will show far resolutions on the subject of a hospital for the to purchase his release with money, but was met a quarter hundred miles, which will show far resolutions on the subject of a hospital for the to purchase his release with money, but was met a quarter hundred miles, which will show far resolutions on the subject of a hospital for the to purchase his release with money but was met a quarter hundred miles, which will show far resolutions on the subject of a hospital for the to purchase his release with money but was met a quarter hundred miles, which will show far resolutions on the subject of a hospital for the to purchase his release with money but was met a quarter hundred miles, which will show far a subject of a hospital for the to purchase his release with money but was met a quarter hundred miles, which will show far a subject of a hospital for the to purchase his release with money but was met a quarter hundred miles, which will show far a purchase his release with money at the purchase his release with money at the subject of a hospital for the purchase his release with money at the purc

sideration therefore he thought it right and signment, however, was kept secret until 10th Island which had to be headed over to the soner, and arrived a little after midnight. Even suspended for say three, six or twelve months. difficulties, and it was only registered here on initiated by the Chairman or Dr. Cantlie, and Crowds peered into the eart to eath asight if

> that the property would not be dealt with in would be kept until the sattlement of the suit. His Lordship-Whom do you propose? Mr. Leach-Mr. Ewens. He is a solicitor of this Court and his reputation stands high. Mr. Francis-I must ask for a receiver who that this question of the treatment of infectious allowed to live in his own dispensary the is independent of all parties.

> His Lordship-It seems to me it would save a bility on the Board, and it was a vory serious obeying the orders from the Governor-General.

large speculations after that time. There was stood no doubt upon the files of the court as judg- resolution or moving a fresh one, and therefore "No from; in the city, all gons to the eastern no evidence to show that he had the remotest ment creditors, but technically, these judgments he had framed a series of resolutions solely with mountains to applace robbers." So the escort chance of meeting his subsequent liabilities, nor were improperly obtained. They were obtained a view of bringing the whole question involved of, say a couple of man, was flatly refused. So that at any time after that date to have received against W.H. Forbes and C. A. Tomes not for fairly and straightforwardly before the Board. much for the British Lion. In this connexion any moneyor been possessed of any means at all to and on behalf of the firm of Russell and Co. but It appeared to Dr. Cantlie and himself that you will doubtless be astounded to hear the raenable him to pay his creditors. He continued as individuals. He denied that wilful conceal- something should be done in the matter, and cont Imperial Edict in reference to the protecspeculating, as he (Mr. Master) submitted, in a ment was a necessary informed from the fact he therefore asked permission to lay the restion of Foreigners was entirely suppressed by rash and hazardous" manner, and almost all that the document referred to by Mr. Francis solutions on the table and to give notice that the Kirin Governor-General and no intirution his losses were uttributed to dealings in shares, was not registered till this year. What would he would move them at the next meeting whatever was given to the public. Dr. Greig Whilst his total liabilities amounted to \$97,000, have been the difference supposing it had been of the Board, whom Dr. Cantlie would pro- is recovering, I am glad to say, as quickly as

commented upon the emission of the debter Mr. Leach said that did not follow at all. It to ascertain the opinion of the Board on the to keep any books of kecount and arged that it was impossible to infer anything from the omis. matter. The resolutions were as follows:was clearly a case of wilfut and palpable neglect. sion more than carelessness. That there could [(1) This Board is at all times responsible for Phere had had more than mere omission. The have been any intention of a fraudulent probankrupt h d been through that Court once be- | ference was utterly impossible. There was no fore-in 1875-and the Chief Justice on that allegation that Russell and Co. were in embar- and for the disinfection and purification of their occasion spoke in no light terms of the debtor's ressed circumstances when the letter of hypothe-After further discussion both parties agreed

> - POLICE COURT. 5th September. BEFORE MR. A. G. WISE.

A LITTLE EPISODE AT THE BANK. Loung Chan Hoi, a very independent looking young Chinaman, described as store-keeper. charged H. B. Pike, clerk, with assault, There was a counter charge of refusal of duty.

plained of, hitting him in the face four or five | quarantine purposes and in connection with the

sible in a place like Hongkong, where the profits | queue and chased after him. They both tumbled | pose unless fitted up and provided with a Medical down the stairs together. apon the character of the gentleman who was H. B. Pike said—On Wednesday night at a suburban site and for the prevention in futured opposing his clients application. Most of the half past twelve three of as went into the Hong. of the treatment in hospitals in the town of shops on the 24th August demanding contribut. claims under the bankruptcy were brokers' kong Bank. We called for a drink and the boy persons suffering from infectious or opidemic tions of cash to meet the expenses of their reclaims and they were perhaps not entitled to as brought it. Then I told him to make some diseases. (9) The Board re-affirms the opinion turn home. At the bank at the head of the road much sympathy and consideration as other sandwiches. He went out of the room and expressed by it at its meeting on the 3 st leading to Messrs. Schonfeld & Co.'s Hong than classes of oreditors. It was perfectly clear that when we had wnited ten minutes I went out and May, 1888, as to the requirements an Epidemic were noticed by a passing foreigner to be ex-Mr. Gabbay had encouraged the debter in gam- called but received no answer. I then found Hespital should fulfil, and demands from the changing high words with the master broker.

\$3,000. Mr. Gubbay had not only gambled His Worship-Did he say anything about the duties imposed on them by the Public Health of disbanded Hunan soldiers, seven in number, with him at poker but also in shares. there being no bread to make the sandwiches? - Ordinance 1887. (10) The Board call the attent paid as a visit at our offices, and deligned to go

As regards the charge of rash and hazardons houseboy's work. I then told him to call some. Yet occapied, and ask for its transfer to the Board long time before we could get rid of them. We speculation it must be remembered that the boy to make the sandwiches and he said that he for the purposes of an Epidemic Hespital. can only ask ourselves at the moment, are these debter had been extremely unfortunate at many had to make up his wine book. I gave him a He thought that in principle and so far as annoyances to continue? We shall not be surtimes. For instance, once he sold China Sugar fair chance. I said, "Will you get a boy?" practice was concerned these resolutions would prised to hear of these loafers visiting some of shares at 204 and had to buy not long after. He replied that he was too busy. I then slap, cover the whole ground. He did not put the foreign hough.

Mr. Pike had been guilty of a technical offence. We have been favoured with the following affairs. His omission to keep books of account for which he thought a fine of 5 cents would be could be put up in case of ac epidemio. quite sufficient. The boy's importinence and The Presurence said he quite agreed will His Lordship-There is no account whatever; impadence had provoked it, and for his refusal Mr. Francis that now, the question had been

HONGKONG SANITARY BOARD. The Sanitary Board met on the 4th instant. during twelve mouths. He submitted that was | " pere were present; -Hon. S. Brown, President; Sir,—Absence in Canton has prevented me Mr. Reece, continuing, said that what appeared eral; Mr. J. J. Francis, Q.C., Mr. G. Horspool, We do not hold ourselves responsible for the opinions Hon J. H. Stewart Lockhart, Registrar-Gen.

THE DEATH FROM CHOLERA.

A letter from the Colonial Secretary with reference to the recent death from cholera in the I am sorry that through ignorance of your he appealed to his lordship not to resort to a troops and detailing the steps taken to prevent the disease spreading was laid on the table. usage, but I would point out that though my His Lordship took exception to Mr. Resce's A minute appended by Dr. Cantlie stated that latter was addressed to the Acting Governor the expression. In a colony like Hongkong, he the community were indebted to the Army cover was addressed to you, which should have pointed out, the undischarged bankrupt suffered Medical Staff for the information supplied and shown you that no disrespect was intended by no such disabilities as a debter in England. It for the successful measures taken by them to \$1,009,121.08 me. On account of this lapse on my part, and did not affect him that he was debarred from prevent the spread of the disease. In another also in view of the tone of my letter, you entering parliament, serving in a local sanitary winute Mr. Humphreys endersed Dr. Cautlie's

APPOINTMENT OF A SANITARY INSPECTOR. A letter was read from the Colonial Secretary

TYTAM AND PORFULAM WATER. Tabular statements showing the result of the analyses made on samples of water drawn from the Tytam and Pokiulam mains in August event which happened in this peaceful province were kild on the table. one by Mr. Francis, who asked, "What does it foreigner kidnapping children. Dr. Greig of cussion will be re-opened. all mean?"; the other by Dr. Cantlie, who said | the Irish Presbyterian Mission had been paythat it would be of great assistance if in addition ling his monthly visit to Kirin to dispense meto the statement a general statement were made I dicine and was returning to K'wan-ch'eng-tzu.

This was an adjourned motion for the appoint. was such as appeared in Mr. Francis's minute.

un order to restrain the defendants from selling The report stated that two cases of death Moukden instead of Kwan-ch'eng-tsz, and to state that his party had an anxious time at the r in any way dealing with certain properties amouget the Chinese community were reported as gether with Dr. Greig's dispenser, dissuaded and for the appointment of a receiver. An in having occurred from comiting and purging, them from following. For some distance further by members of the Kolao Hui to atlank the city that was asked for now was the appointment of body was made and it revealed to the surgeon reaching an inn 40 i from Kirin nothing a receiver. The application was based on affidavits who made the examination that death had really special transpired until about midnight, when by Mr. F. de Bovis, manager of the Hongkong resulted from typhoid fever and that the unlia, Australia, and China. The properties in case no post-mortem was made, but the two sur- turned out to be the Governor-General's per- rising.—N. C. Daily News. 721, and marine lots 202 and 203. These death had not resulted from any disease Kang. Having fastened him securely they look for an increase in the number of coast lights, AN EPIDEMIO HOSPITAL

W. H. Forles a d. C. A. Tomes alone and not the subject was printed and circulated, he be-In making the application Mr. Reece said squinst the absent partners. It was a matter of lieved on his own motion, but it was only put the ground, but affording no support whatever perfect indifference whether they were execution into the hands of members a couple of days to his body he was allowed to remain for allowering Messrs. Took and Gubba by of their creditors or reditors or redit representing Mesers. Toog and Gubba by of their creditors or not. As creditors they were execution into the hands of members a couple of days to most an hour. Finding that their victim was intended opposition, and he thought he might to take the absence of the last meeting. This showed that most an hour. Finding that their victim was before the last meeting. This showed that in a swooning condition they lowered him.

Mr. Leach said he was perfectly willing now. two or three meetings of the Board, there was a [vornor-General he was compelled to go to an in a as he had been before, to give an undertaking any way and that proper and separate accounts It was strongly arged by the Colonial Sur- was only on the fourth day that the Governor cient and that no danger need be expected enquire about his wounds. from its locality. It appeared to him (Mr. It seems that the soldiers acted on orders from Francis), and it had always appeared to him, head quarters, for when Dr. Greig asked to be

seeded to deal serialim with the three grounds great deal of trouble if you would agree to some | question whether the mutter might not come | Two days afterwards Dr. Greig telegraphed by upon which the application was objected to, person. It cannot make any difference whether upon them in the form they would be least the British Consul at Newchwang to ask the He referred his lardship to the notes of the bank. Mr. Ewens is in charge of the property or not. pleased to find it come. It had appeared to Dr. Tautsi to order a small escent as he medi-Cantlie and himself that the Board should have I tated returning to K wan-ch'eng-tzu, and can Assignee. He then stated that he became aware Mr. Leach said his instructions were definite an opportunity of thoroughly threshing out the you believe it. the mendacious secondrel. of his insolvency in April or May of to oppose the appointment of a receiver. The question and coming to some definite conclusion Chang Ham, the Governor-General of Kirin. 1889, but it was a fact that he had carried on plaintiffs were not judgment creditors. They elther in the way of re-affirming their former had the audacity to realy to the Tactai. bably second them. These resolutions had been | could be expected.—Mercury correspondent. lebts were insignificant. Passing on to the Mr. Francis-They would not have got the formed for the purpose of raising the entire question and having a thorough discussion so as

> the proper segregation of persons suffering from infectious, contacious, or communicable dis-uses dwallings and clothing and of any boats or other the result that three men are now in custody vehicles in which they may have travelled. (2) charged with being implicated in the er me, Tais Board is, whenever any part of the colony and it is expected that the whole gang will short is threatened or affected with any formidable ly be run to earth. epidemic, responsible for, and invested by ordinance with the fullest powers for dealing with opidemic, endemic, and contagious diseases of all sorts with a view to their prevention or mitigaable accommodation, medical aid, and medicines. (3) The Beard has not now at its disposal or under [epidemic, endemic, or contagious diseases can be segregated and treated, either in case of an opi- that the domand was larger than the supply, the

demic or of sporadic cases The provision made for treating small-pox cases at the Government Civil Hospital is insufficient as to extent and is in Complainant said that on the 3rd of September | itself, from its position in the centre of a densely alty for the triennial examination to take place about half past one o'clock in the morning des populated neighbourhood, a source of danger to foundant came home to the Bank and called for the colony. (5) The small-pox wards in the and are expected altogether. Let us hope that Gubbay—was the very man who had received the a boy. No one answered, so he went, and having Tung Wah Hospital are wholly inadequate, are they will not create an disturbances as they debtor into his house night after night, played been asked to get a drink did so. Defendant a grave source of danger from their position generally do. poker with him, and won as much as \$3.000 then wanted some sandwiches. There was no and surroundings, and ought to be closed up. bread however, so he could not get any. He (6) The Hugein is entirely unsuitable for use as

Staff of some kind. (8) The Board re-affirms the her payments to the shopkeeper without much The complainant called no witnesses and the resolutions passed on the 13th March, 18 8, as being said to the argent need for an Epidemic Hospital in ed out that he had gambled with him in not brought the sandwiches. He said that it such an hospital and its transfer to the sort of begging. Board and its officers, to enable them to fulfil Evidence continued.—He said it was the Point, constructed for a Police Station but never made us feel very uncomfortable and it was a

vacant space round it on which temporary sheds letter accompanying the Chinese petition against no attempt as far as I can see to explain that to obey a lawful order he would be fined \$5 or raised it was most desirable it should be thoroughly investigated and threshol out. That

being so, the discussion would stand over till the next meeting. The Board then adjourned till the 18th inst. CORRESPONDENCE.

expressed by our Correspondents.) THE KOWLOON INSTITUTE AND READING ROOM TO THE EDITOR OF THE "DAILY PRESS." DEAR SIR .- Will you oblige me by inserting n your next issue that in response to the appea or a building fund for a permanant Kowloon Institute and Reading Room for Scamen and Soldiers the sum of \$418.15 was collected at the close of the meeting on Wednesday night, and

in addition to this the Right Rev. Bishop Burdon has promised \$100. Will you allow me to take this opportunity of heartily thanking all these kind contributors, and also those ladies and others who have kindly given pictures and furniture for the equipment of the room.-Yours faithfully, A. GURNEY GOLDSMITH. Hougkong, 3rd september, 1841.

THE OUTRAGE ON DR. GREIG IN KIRIN.

FURTHER PARTICULARS. MOURDES, 21st August. Let me heatily tell you of an extraordinary by the analyst of his opinion as to the quality of | Eight li outside the former city a number of the water. To the public, from the statements I lit le bays (truants from school as was aft rwards as presented, the only question that could arise [learned] accosted him by name, and asked him if he was returning to K'wan-ch'eng-tzu. It was agreed to ask the analyst to make such Replying in the affirmative he rode on. His cart coming on behind overtook the boys 15 li kong, and India. It is the same Company which out of the city. On being told in answer to their question that it was Dr. Greig's cart they de- steamer Nanzing, now renamed Vladimir. The Sanitary Superintendent's report for clared their intention of following it. On hearing this the carter said he was going to through Paoning and Wanhsien in Szechnan

> he did not grasp the drift of their question. information that has leaked out, it appears the Under the impression that he was in the bands intention is (what in leed it should be) to have a

> followed by Dr. Ayres and others at the last the notorious kidn upper. By order of the Godifference of opinion as to whether any new instead of to his own dispensary. For the endays additional opidemic hospital was necessary. he was looked up and treated as a prisoner. I goon that the present establishment was suffi- thought it worth while to send a messenger to

> and contagious diseases throw a great responsi- cofficer in charge of the escert said he was merely

SWATOW.

Our Swatiw correspondent writes that after the recently reported boat robbery the officials offered large rewards for information as to the identity and whereabouts of the robbers, with

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A boat laden with pigs for Foodlow from tion, and has among other things to provide suit- Huchiang was detained about, half way by had weather, and nearly all the pigs died. This was not, however, a total loss to the owner, a ready its own control any place where safferers from sale being found for all the pork at half the market price on its arrival. Indeed it is said natives rather liking their food a little gamev. Several thousands of students have already arrived from different points within this Victoryon the 10th September. Upwards of ten thou-

With all the stringent measures taken by the Mr. Master suggested that this was done under told defendant so but was accused of telling a un Epidemic Hospital in connection with the which for a matter of twelve months were pretty successful, it has gradually crept late general use again. We understand that for housekeep His Lordship did not see how that was pos. times and kicking him. He also got hold of his shipping, (7) The Mygeid is useless for any pur- ing purposes it is preferred; the frugal house

Some eight disbanded Hunan soldiers were seen calling at all the native bankers and only in bling transactions. His lower had point him sifting down and I asked him why he had Government the immediate construction of Surely there ought to be a stop put upon this

tion of the Government to the building at West when ordered to do so. Their determined-mien.

wards at 3)5. Such unforeseen lesses largely ped him twice on the face. He kicked at me them forward as definite opinions, but he put Wo understand that the present Salt Commisaccounted for Mr. Rustomjee's follow. The violently and I received it on my knee. He also them forward in order to get a thorough sioner is to be appointed to the post of Provinbusiness which he had done after he knew that slashed at me with his pigtail and hit me on discussion of the question in all its bear- cial Judge. This is a most popular appointment he was instrent was necessary to prevent the neck. He then want downstairs as lings. He might aid that Dr. Cantlie and with all the respectable natives in the city and heavier losses still, and such transactions had hard as he could go and I after him. I did himself looked over the Kennedytown Police suburbs, but not quite so much liked by the idle been entered into not with hope of gain but in a not tumble down stairs. He told me that I was | Station, which appeared to be well-suited for and good for nothing, a class unfortunately on no gentleman because I said "---" (Laughter.) | the purpose. There was abundant accommoda- the increase in numbers in consequence of the His Lordship—He was insolvent in April. I have witnesses to prove that he never came tion for nearly one hundred beds; it was com- deciv of the tea trade. It is known that His back to say there was no bread, or anything of pletely segregated from the rest of the town; it | Excellency will be particularly severe with rufwas shut off from all communication with any lians, vagabonds, and gamblers. It is said of him His Worship said that on his own showing other portion of the town; and there was a that he will be the right man in the right place. The following story which reaches us from the city shows that the literati are a class not to be triffed with: Some trouble had arisen between two parties, who finding thomseives unable to come to forms amicably took the case to a Magisrate's Court for adjudication. It transpired that a gentleman high in the ranks of the literati, a relation of one of the disputants, was javolved in some way in the case, and an order ras issued to bring him at once into Court The Court ranner, however, returned alone with the card and the summons torn in two, and a verbal message from the summoned to the Magistrate that he would have to Kow-low for his impudence in sending a ranger for him. The aggrioved gentleman went straight to the Vicerov, represented the insult offered him. and demanded full satisfaction. Without a word, so the story goes, the Viceroy despatched his headman to bying the magistrate to the vamen without delay, and on his appoarance informed

SHANGHAI.

prescribed form.—Echo.

him that unless he applogized on his knees to the

centleman forthwith he would be degraded.

The humiliated magistrate apologized in the

The Daily News says that H.E. von Biegeleben Austro-Hungarian Minister to Japan, China, and, Siam, has left Tokyo for Peking, going via Korea. At Peking he is to present his credentials and be received in audience by the Emparar. He will then return to Japan via Shanghai. The Hu-pae says it is reported that the Wuhn authorities have yielded to the Roman Catholic demand for Tis. 110,000 and a piece of ground. The further demand of a hillook belonging to the city is not acceded to, but both parties a week ago, the particulars of which have just agree that the consideration of this subject is to Two minutes were appended to the statements; come to hand. It is another alleged case of the be postponed for three months, when the dis-

A dangerous competitor to the Nippon Yusen Kaisha Company on the Viadivostock line has appeared (says the Mercury) in the shape of a Russian Steamship Company which has already. commenced to run the steamer Baikal to Shanghai, vid Gensan, Fusan, and Nagasaki. The steamer Viadivostock and other steamers are to follow, and will run to Southern China, Hongrecently bought the well known Shanghai Advices from a traveller who has lately passed

latter city. A plot had apparently been made and raise a rebellion. Prompt and diligent measures were taken by the authorities, and a large number of alleged secret society men were ately arrived in time to frustrate the intended

The Mercury says:-There is a hopeful out-

 $oldsymbol{NEWCHWANG}.$

The Newchwang correspondent of the N. C.

and bribed a man to take the consequences, threw the watch and chaid